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Foreword:

At the request of the AE Project Office a study was conducted to determine the particle flux densities anticipated for the AE missions as a function of nominal orbit parameters.

This data was needed in order to select electronic circuit designs that would be able to perform satisfactorily in the predicted radiation environment.

In this context it should be noted that the results represent isotropic intensities, supposedly for all values of the integral proton and electron spectra.

The information contained in the present report supersedes all older data, especially the data released earlier this year in connection with and prior to the "Extreme Ultraviolet Photometer Experiment" contract award for Dr. D. Heath.

INTRODUCTION:

High inclination circular and elliptical trajectories ($i > 55^\circ$) or low inclination elliptical orbits of large eccentricity traverse the terrestrial radiation belts twice during each revolution. The vehicle thus executes a transverse motion in L-space, passing successively through a region of low L-values ($1.0 \lesssim L \lesssim 2.0$) and of high L-values ($2.0 \lesssim L \lesssim 6.6$), commonly referred to as the inner zone and the outer zone. The AE-C,D,E trajectories (for details see Appendix A) perform in a very similar way.

The three specified AE missions lie all within a two-year interval of time approximately coinciding with the next solar minimum. This means that conditions prevailing then in the radiation belts will most likely be similar to those that prevailed during the last solar minimum, namely 1904, with the exception of the artificial electrons that populated the inner zone from 1962/7 to about 1968. Since the electron fluxes are calculated with Vette's AE2 model, which describes the environment as it existed back in 1964, it is reasonable to assume that the outer zone predictions given in this report will be a good approximation for 1974. Of course, to obtain valid 1974 predictions for the inner zone, the artificial component had to be removed; this was done by decaying the fluxes exponentially up to 1967/6, when it is felt, that natural background levels were reached. Orbital flux integrations for high energy protons

were performed with Vette's current models AP1, AP6, AP7.

Low energy protons were calculated with King's AP5 model.

All are static models, including the AE2, which do not consider temporal variations. For the protons this is a valid representation because experimental measurements have shown that no significant changes with time have occurred. With the exception of the fringe areas of the proton belt, that is, at very low altitudes and at the outer edges of the trapping region, the possible error introduced by the static approximation lies well within the uncertainty factor of 2, attached to the models. Consequently, the proton models may be applied to any epoch without the need for an updating process.

Appendix A contains other pertinent background information with regard to units, field models, trajectory generation and conversion, etc. At this point, we wish to emphasize again that our calculations are only approximations; we strongly recommend that all persons to receive parts of this report be advised about the uncertainty in our data.

The results were obtained for the basic elliptical orbit of the AE mission at the individual inclinations specified for each mission. By placing the initial injection point, that is, the location of the first perigee position, arbitrarily at (0,0) longitude and latitude, we may have biased the flux predictions. It is conceivable that a rotation of the first perigee in the plane of the orbit and a relocation, let us say diametrically opposite, may produce substantially different results. So far, we have not had an opportunity to test this hypothesis.

RESULTS: ANALYSIS AND DISCUSSION

Our calculations for the AE-C,D,E are summarized in Tables 1 to 9, separately for protons and for electrons. A graphical superposition of the spectral distribution is given in Figure 1 for electrons and Figure 2 and 2A for protons, and a selected set of integral energies are plotted versus inclination in Figure 3, for both types of particles. Classification of orbit - integrated spectra as hard or soft is relative, based on an overall evaluation of near earth space in terms of circular trajectories between equatorial and polar orbits.

On some preliminary graphs discontinuities appeared in the high energy proton spectra. These "breaks" occurred because the complete proton environment is being described by three (formerly four) independent maps or grids, each valid only over a limited energy range; for certain critical orbital configurations the discontinuities are then produced when moving from one energy range to another. They are caused, in part, by the exponential energy parameter of the model which in many instances had to be extrapolated to make up for lacking data and, in part, to insufficient experimental measurements over some areas of B/L-space; furthermore, the discontinuities reflect the fact that the available data cannot be completely matched at their overlap. In order to overcome such spectral breaks, a continuous weighted mean curve was drawn, connecting

the adjacent segments; it should be regarded as an approximate spectral distribution. In doing this, the AP1 results ($30 < E(\text{Mev}) < 50$) had to be totally ignored sometimes.

A similar break occurs in the low energy spectrum, at the interface between the AP5 and the AP6 models. It appears that for the specific orbits under consideration, the AP5 underestimates the predicted vehicle encountered fluxes, maybe by as much as a factor of 4. This, however, may be partially due to the elliptical form of the orbit.

Figures 1 and 2 indicate a slight hardening of the spectra for lower inclinations in addition to an increase in the average daily fluxes. The electron spectra may be classified as moderately hard for near earth space missions, while the protons rate a "hard" classification for energies $E > 3$ Mev but a "very hard" one when a threshold energy of $E > 50$ Mev is considered. Figure 3 bears out these findings. Figures 4 to 9 are computer plots depicting the characteristic electron and proton spectra of the three trajectories, individually.

In Figure 10 the percentage of total lifetime T spent by the vehicle in the inner zone (T^i) and in the outer zone (T^o) is given, with the percent duration spent outside the trapped particle radiation belt ($L > 6.6$), denoted by T^e (T -external).

For any mission (j) then:

$$T_j = T_j^i + T_j^o + T_j^e = 100\%$$

Evidently, the low inclination AE-E spends its entire lifetime in the inner zone. When inclination is raised to $i = 65^\circ$ for the AE-C, the vehicle spends the largest proportion of its lifetime in the outer zone while it briefly visits regions of space outside the Van Allen belts. In this stage the satellite performs a complete sweep through magnetic L-space, which constitutes the transverse motion mentioned in the second paragraph, executed twice during each revolution (orbit). Finally, the AE-D at $i = 80^\circ$ would spend about 16% of its entire lifetime outside the radiation belts while remaining for shorter periods of time in the inner and outer zones than the AE-C.

The following related points are submitted for consideration in connection with the lifetime distribution over distinct regions of space:

a. Lasting solar cycle effects are more severely experienced in the outer zone (significant changes in the trapped electron population from solar minimum to solar maximum).

b. Energetic artificial electrons from high altitude nuclear explosions (Starfish) have displayed a remarkable longevity, but only in the inner zone; there they contaminated the environment for over 5 years, while they rapidly decayed to background levels in the outer zone (within weeks to months). A planned or

accidental explosion of another atomic device with the appropriate yield and at the right latitude and altitude may, very likely, produce conditions similar to those experienced with "Starfish", transforming the inner zone again into a radiation hotbed.

c. Transient solar flare effects (high energy solar proton fluxes), may be especially hazardous and damaging in regions external to the trapped particle belts.

In Figure 11 the percentage of total lifetime spent in flux-free regions of space T^{ff} is given, where the term "flux-free" applies to all regions of space where trapped-particle intensities are less than one electron or proton per square centimeter per second, having energies $E > .5$ Mev and $E > 5$ Mev, respectively. This, of course, includes regions outside the Van Allen belts. Predictably, the high energy proton population, which occupies a smaller volume of the radiation belt, affords a much larger T^{ff} than the electrons. As inclination rises the flux-free time increases for both types of particles, but at a much higher rate for the protons, because of the smaller volume occupied by these particles.

If T^{ff} is included as a decisive mission criterion into planning, a prior evaluation and comparison of the radiation hazards due

to the predicted electron and proton fluxes is essential, either in regard to the entire mission or in regard to specific important functions or requirements. For, while the proton intensities are on the average two orders of magnitude smaller than the electrons, and while they apparently do afford more flux-free time between $i = 20^\circ$ and $i = 81^\circ$, their greater mass and harder spectra may prove more damaging to the mission than the more numerous electrons with their less flux-free time.

Figures 12 to 17 are additional computer plots for the three AE trajectories showing the vehicle encountered instantaneous peak electron ($E = .5$ Mev) and proton ($E = 5$ Mev) intensities per orbit for a sequence of about 22 revolutions. On all graphs a periodic pattern emerges that indicates a daily cycle of about 11 orbits which may shift slightly in the plotting. This is due to the relative orbit period, which determines the precession of the trajectory. The pattern may change with time as the dynamics of the elliptical orbit and the external perturbations alter the flight path.

It is evident that inclination affects the peaks very little for both types of particles. There is relatively no significant variation in the peak-levels over a daily cycle, contrary to circular orbits, which experience flux-less intervals of time, occasionally lasting several revolutions.

Finally, for each of the three flight paths, two more computer plots are included, Figures 18 to 23, one for protons and one for electrons, depicting the characteristic averaged instantaneous intensities of the trajectory in terms of constant L-bands of .1 earth radius width; the percent of total lifetime spent in each L-interval is shown on the same graph by the contour marked with x's.

APPENDIX A

General Background Information

For the specified trajectories, orbit tapes were generated with an integration stepsize of one minute and for sufficiently long flighttime, so as to insure an adequate sampling of the ambient environment; on account of their period, which determine the rate of orbit-precession, the following elliptical flight paths of 48-hour duration were produced:

<u>Inclination</u>	<u>Perigee</u>	<u>Apogee</u>	<u>Mission</u>
23°	150 km	4000 km	AE-E
65°	"	"	EE-C
80°	"	"	AE-D

The orbits were subsequently converted from geocentric polar into magnetic B-L coordinates with McIlwain's INVAR program of 1965 and the field routine ALLMAG by Stassinopoulos and Mead, utilizing the POGO (10/68) geomagnetic field model by Cain and Langel, calculated for the epoch 1974.0 (B is the field strength at a given point and L is the geocentric distance to the intersect of the field line, through that point, with the geomagnetic equator).

Orbital flux integrations were performed with Vette's current models of the environment, the AE2 for electrons and the AP1, AP6, AP7 for high energy protons, and the AP5 for low energy protons.

All are static models which do not

consider temporal variations. See the text of the report for further details on this matter.

The results, relating to omnidirectional, vehicle encountered, integral, trapped particle fluxes, are presented in graphical and tabular form with the following unit convention:

1. Daily averages : total trajectory integrated flux
averaged into particles/cm²day;
2. Totals per orbit : non-averaged, single-orbit integrated
flux in particles/cm²orbit;
3. Peaks per orbit : highest orbit-encountered instan-
taneous flux in particles/cm²sec;

where 1 orbit = 1 revolution.

Please note: We wish to emphasize the fact that the data presented in this report are only approximations. We do not believe the results to be any better than a factor of 2 for the protons and a factor of 3 for the electrons. It is advisable to inform all potential users about this uncertainty in the data.

TABLE 4

AVERAGED FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/DAY *** NON-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/SEC
ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES >5 MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

ORBITAL FLUX STUDY FOR COMPOSITE PROTON ENVIRONMENT * GRIDS AP1,AP7,AP6,AP5 * DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY (138
INCLINAT.= 23 * PERIG.= 150 * APOG.= 4000 KM * B/L ORBIT TAPE TO 6160 * PERIOD = 2.148 * VEHICLE = AE-E

HIGH ENERGY

COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM

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SPECTRUM IN % DE

ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVERAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GKTR. THAN (MEV)	AVERAGED INTEG. FLUX (PER DAY)	INTENSITY RANGES (PT/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NO. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES (E>5)
3-5	7.029E 10	68.038	1	NOT VALID	0.60-1.00	11.050	2.954E 04
5-15	2.999E 10	29.026	3	1.073E 11	1.00-1.01	0.683	1.048E 04
15-30	2.314E 09	2.240	5	3.302E 10	1.01-1.02	0.817	1.175E 05
30-50	3.567E 03	0.345	7	1.572E 10	1.02-1.03	1.233	1.836E 06
50-100	1.494E 08	0.145	9	9.086E 09	1.03-1.04	2.750	4.384E 07
>100	2.131E 08	0.206	11	5.888E 09	1.04-1.05	7.633	1.332E 09
			13	4.114E 09	1.05-OVER	23.850	6.467E 10
			15	3.034E 09			
			17	2.065E 09			
			21	1.496E 09			
			24	1.135E 09			
			27	8.911E 08			
			30	7.192E 08			
			35	5.577E 08			
			40	3.624E 08			
			45	2.383E 08			
			50	3.625E 08			
			60	3.259E 08			
			70	2.930E 08			
			80	2.634E 08			
			90	2.369E 08			
			100	2.131E 08			
TOTAL =	1.073E 11	100.00			TOTAL =	48.000	6.604E 10

ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/DAY *** NON-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/SEC
 ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES > 5 MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

ORBITAL FLUX STUDY FOR COMPOSITE PROTON ENVIRONMENT * CRICS AP1, AP7, AP6, AP5 * DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY 0138
 INCLINAT. = 65 * PERIG. = 150 * APOG. = 4000 KM * REL ORBIT TAPE ID 6160 * PERIOD = 2,148 * VEHICLE =,

HIGH ENERGY

SPECTRUM IN % DE				COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM				EXPOSURE INDEX			
ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVRAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GRITHAN (MEV)	AVRAGED INTEG. FLUX (PER DAY)	INTENSITY RANGES (PT/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NC. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES (E>5)				
3-5	4.415E 10	69.924	1	NOT VALID	0.E0-1.E0	23.317	2.992E 04				
5-15	1.753E 10	27.735	3	6.320E 10	1.E0-1.E1	2.333	3.552E 04				
15-30	1.175E 09	1.864	5	1.901E 10	1.E1-1.E2	1.650	1.963E 05				
30-50	1.614E 08	0.287	7	8.660E 09	1.E2-1.E3	1.367	1.990E 06				
50-100	5.277E 07	0.083	9	4.826E 09	1.E3-1.E4	2.317	4.059E 07				
>100	6.756E 07	0.107	11	3.070E 09	1.E4-1.E5	4.300	6.153E 08				
			13	2.059E 09	1.E5-OVER	12.733	3.736E 10				
			15	1.480E 09							
			18	0.724E 08							
TOTAL =	6.320E 10	100.00	21	6.824E 08	TOTAL =	48.000	3.802E 10				
			24	5.025E 08							
			27	3.838E 08							
			30	3.017E 08							
			35	2.191E 08							
			40	1.331E 08							
			45	8.126E 07							
			50	1.203E 08							
			60	1.071E 08							
			70	9.542E 07							
			80	8.503E 07							
			90	7.578E 07							
			100	6.756E 07							

TABLE 2

ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CN**2/SEC *** NON-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CN**2/SEC
 ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES >5 MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

ORBITAL FLUX STUDY FOR COMPOSITE PROTON ENVIRONMENT * CRICS AP1, AP7, AP6, AP5 * DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY 0138
 INCLINATION = 80 * PERIGEE = 150 * APOGEE = 4000 KM * REL ORBIT TAPE TO 6160 * PERIOD = 2.142 * VEHICLE = AE-D

HIGH ENERGY

SPECTRUM IN X-DE				COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM				EXPOSURE INDEX		
ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVERAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GR. THAN (MEV)	AVERAGED INTEC. FLUX (PER DAY)	NOT VALID	INTENSITY RANGES (PT/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NO. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES (>5)		
3-5	4.127E 10	72.020	1		1	0.50-1.00	27.000	2.532E 04		
5-15	1.630E 10	27.657	3		3	1.00-1.51	1.650	2.504E 04		
15-30	1.087E 09	1.845	5		5	1.51-1.52	1.217	1.397E 05		
30-50	1.703E 08	0.280	7		7	1.52-1.53	0.367	1.121E 06		
50-100	4.672E 07	0.070	9		9	1.53-1.54	1.433	2.936E 07		
>100	5.568E 07	0.101	11		11	1.54-1.55	3.400	5.481E 08		
			13		13	1.55-OVER	11.650	3.475E 10		
			15		15					
			18		18					
TOTAL =	5.853E 10	100.00				TOTAL =	48.000	3.533E 10		

TABLE 4

ORBITAL FLUX STUDY WITH COMPOSITE ELECTRON ENVIRONMENT* (VETTES AE2) * DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY 0138
 FLUXES-EXPONENTIALLY DECAYED WITH DECAY-FACTOR D1 = VETTE TRUE *** DECAY DATE = YEAR 1967, MONTH 6, DAY 0.

AVRAGED FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/DAY *** NON-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/SEC
 ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES > 5 MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

INCLINAT.= 23 * PERIG.= 150 * APOG.= 4000 KM * RFL ORBIT TAPE TO 6160 * PERIOD = 2.148 * VEHICLE =

SPECTRUM IN % OF				COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM		EXPOSURE INDEX		
ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVRAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GRTP. THAN (MEV)	AVRAGED INTEG. FLUX (PER DAY)	INTENSITY RANGES (EL/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NO. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES (E>.5)	
0-.5	1.320E 12	84.40	0.0	1.562E 12	ZERO FLUX	10.6	1.397E 03	
0.5-1	1.462E 11	9.36	0.25	5.287E 11	1.E0-1.E2	0.933	6.981E 04	
1-2	6.850E 10	4.38	0.50	2.423E 11	1.E2-1.E3	0.550	6.353E 05	
2-3	1.946E 10	1.25	0.75	1.416E 11	1.E3-1.E4	0.867	1.313E 07	
3-4	5.673E 09	0.36	1.00	9.605E 10	1.E4-1.E5	2.35	4.311E 08	
4-5	1.677E 09	0.11	1.25	6.842E 10	1.E5-1.E6	6.97	1.155E 10	
5-6	5.114E 08	0.03	1.50	4.977E 10	1.E6-1.E7	25.3	4.579E 11	
6-7	1.554E 08	0.01	1.75	3.674E 10	1.E7-1.E8	0.383	1.456E 10	
GT.7	7.151E 07	0.00	2.00	2.755E 10	1.E8-INFIN	0.0	0.0	
			2.25	1.937E 10				
			2.50	1.490E 10				
			2.75	1.095E 10				
			3.00	7.089E 09				
			3.25	5.476E 09				
			3.50	4.411E 09				
			3.75	3.297E 09				
			4.00	2.416E 09				
			4.25	1.821E 09				
			4.50	1.312E 09				
			4.75	9.973E 08				
			5.00	7.394E 08				
			5.25	5.559E 08				
			5.50	4.100E 08				
			5.75	3.056E 08				
			6.00	2.269E 08				
			6.25	1.721E 08				
			6.50	1.279E 08				
			6.75	9.515E 07				
			7.00	7.151E 07				
TOTAL =	1.562E 12	100.00			TOTAL =	48.017	4.844E 11	

CRITICAL FLUX STUDY WITH COMPOSITE ELECTRON ENVIRONMENT* (VEITES AF2) * DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY 0138
 FLUXES EXPONENTIALLY DECAYED WITH DECAY-FACTOR D1 = VEITE TLE *** DECAY DATE = YEAR 1967, MONTH 6, DAY 0.

AVERAGED FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/DAY *** NON-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/SEC
 ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES $E > 0.5$ MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

INCLINAT.= 65 * PERIG.= 150 * APCG.= 4000 KM * REL ORBIT TAPE TO 6162 * PERIOD = 2.148 * VEHICLE =

SPECTRUM IN % DE				COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM				EXPOSURE INDEX			
ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVERAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GRTR. THAN (MEV)	AVERAGED INTEG. FLUX (PER DAY)	INTENSITY RANGES (FL/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NO. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES ($E > .5$)				
0-.5	9.242E 11	89.62	0.0	1.071E 12	7E00 FLUX	14.0	2.000E 03				
.5-1	7.302E 10	7.08	0.25	2.863E 11	1.E0-1.E2	0.667	4.436E 04				
1-2	2.515E 10	2.44	0.50	1.071E 11	1.E2-1.E3	0.900	1.893E 06				
2-3	6.485E 09	0.63	0.75	5.398E 10	1.E3-1.E4	5.70	9.159E 07				
3-4	1.747E 09	0.17	1.00	3.407E 10	1.E4-1.E5	6.07	8.549E 08				
4-5	4.899E 08	0.05	1.25	2.359E 10	1.E5-1.E6	9.45	1.335E 10				
5-6	1.364E 08	0.01	1.50	1.662E 10	1.E6-1.E7	11.3	1.999E 11				
6-7	3.918E 07	0.60	1.75	1.208E 10	1.E7-1.E8	0.0	0.0				
GT.7	1.656E 07	0.00	2.00	8.918E 09	1.E8-INFIN	0.0	0.0				
			2.25	6.334E 09							
			2.50	4.649E 09							
			2.75	3.374E 09							
			3.00	2.429E 09							
			3.25	1.755E 09							
			3.50	1.271E 09							
			3.75	9.404E 08							
			4.00	6.821E 08							
			4.25	5.013E 08							
			4.50	3.670E 08							
			4.75	2.672E 08							
			5.00	1.922E 08							
			5.25	1.445E 08							
			5.50	1.072E 08							
			5.75	7.654E 07							
			6.00	5.574E 07							
			6.25	4.120E 07							
			6.50	3.021E 07							
			6.75	2.202E 07							
			7.00	1.654E 07							
TOTAL =	1.031E 12	100.00			TOTAL =	48.017	2.142E 11				

Table 6

ORBITAL FLUX STUDY WITH COMPOSITE ELECTRON ENVIRONMENT* (VETTES AE2) * DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY 0137
 FLUXES EXPONENTIALLY DECAYED WITH DECAY-FACTOR D1 = VETTE TBLE *** DECAY DATE = YEAR 1967, MONTH 6, DAY 0.

AVERAGED FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/DAY *** NON-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/SEC
 ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES E>.5MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

INCLINAT.= 80 * PERIG.= 150 * APOG.= 4000 KM * BEL ORBIT TAPE ID 6160 * PERIOD = 2.148 * VEHICLE =

COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM

EXPOSURE INDEX

ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVERAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GRTR. THAN (MEV)	AVERAGED INTEG. FLUX (PER DAY)	INTENSITY RANGES (EL/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NO. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES (E>.5)
0-.5	8.658E 11	89.80	0.0	9.641E 11	ZERO FLUX	19.5	2.019E 03
.5-1	6.715E 10	6.96	0.25	2.648E 11	1.E0-1.E2	0.567	4.319E 04
1-2	2.302E 10	2.39	0.50	5.835E 10	1.E2-1.E3	0.583	8.561E 05
2-3	5.949E 09	0.62	0.75	4.944E 10	1.E3-1.E4	3.97	6.269E 07
3-4	1.603E 09	0.17	1.00	3.120E 10	1.E4-1.E5	5.37	7.955E 08
4-5	4.498E 08	0.05	1.25	2.160E 10	1.E5-1.E6	7.57	1.106E 10
5-6	1.254E 08	0.01	1.50	1.522E 10	1.E6-1.E7	10.5	1.848E 11
6-7	3.603E 07	0.00	1.75	1.107E 10	1.E7-1.E8	0.0	0.0
GT.7	1.529E 07	0.00	2.00	8.178E 09	1.E8-INFIN	0.0	0.0
TOTAL =	9.641E 11	100.00			TOTAL =	48.017	1.967E 11

Table 7

AVERAGED FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/DAY ** NCN-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/SEC
ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES >5 MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

ORBITAL FLUX STUDY FOR COMPOSITE PROTON ENVIRONMENT * GRIDS AP1, AP7, AP6, AP5 * DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY 0138
INCLINAT.= 23 * PERIG.= 150 * APJG.= 40(0) KM * B&L ORBIT TAPE TO 6160 * PERIOD = 2.148 * VEHICLE =.

LOW ENERGY

SPECTRUM IN % DE			COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM			EXPOSURE INDEX		
ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVERAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GRTR. THAN (MEV)	AVERAGED INTEG. FLUX (PER DAY)	INTENSITY RANGES (PT/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NO. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES (E>.1)	
.10- .50	1.336E 10	18.625	.10	8.243E 10	0.E0-1.E0	11.533	1.148E 04	
.50-1.10	1.600E 10	22.301	.30	7.345E 10	1.E0-1.E1	0.067	1.029E 03	
1.10-2.00	1.714E 10	23.885	.50	6.707E 10	1.E1-1.E2	0.250	4.291E 04	
2.00-3.00	1.239E 10	17.267	.70	6.125E 10	1.E2-1.E3	0.833	1.639E 06	
3.00-4.00	7.864E 09	12.963	.90	5.593E 10	1.E3-1.E4	2.083	3.554E 07	
4.00-5.00	4.993E 09	6.960	1.10	5.107E 10	1.E4-1.E5	4.633	7.610E 08	
			1.30	4.664E 10	1.E5-OVER	28.617	1.601E 11	
			1.50	4.259E 10				
TOTAL =	7.174E 10	100.00	1.75	3.802E 10	TOTAL =	48.000	1.609E 11	
			2.00	3.394E 10				
			2.25	3.030E 10				
			2.50	2.704E 10				
			2.75	2.414E 10				
			3.00	2.155E 10				
			3.25	1.924E 10				
			3.50	1.717E 10				
			3.75	1.533E 10				
			4.00	1.369E 10				
			4.25	1.222E 10				
			4.50	1.091E 10				
			4.75	9.737E 09				
			5.00	8.693E 09				

AVERAGED FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/DAY *** NON-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/SEC
ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES >5 MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

ORBITAL FLUX STUDY FOR COMPOSITE PRCTON ENVIRONMENT * GRIDS AP1, AP7, AP6, AP5 * DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY 013R
INCLINAI.= 65 * PERIG.= 150 * APOG.= 4000 KM * REL ORBIT TAPE TO 6160 * PERIOD = 2.14F * VEHICLE = AE-C

LOW ENERGY

SPECTRUM IN % DE				COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM			EXPOSURE INDEX		
ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVERAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GRIP-IHAN (MEV)	AVERAGED INTEG. FLUX (PER DAY)	INTENSITY RANGES (PT/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NO. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES (E>.1)		
.10-.50	5.649E 10	54.225	.10	1.134E 11	0.E0-1.E0	14.767	4.636E 04		
.50-1.10	1.575E 10	18.310	.30	6.953E 10	1.E0-1.E1	0.0	0.0		
1.10-2.00	1.327E 10	12.302	.50	5.488E 10	1.E1-1.E2	0.017	7.515E 02		
2.00-3.00	8.183E 09	7.586	.70	4.612E 10	1.E2-1.E3	0.083	1.260E 05		
3.00-4.00	5.015E 09	4.640	.90	3.689E 10	1.E3-1.E4	0.717	1.277E 07		
4.00-5.00	3.158E 09	2.928	1.10	3.512E 10	1.E4-1.E5	1.217	2.146E 08		
			1.30	3.129E 10	1.E5-OVER	31.217	2.265E 11		
			1.50	2.808E 10					
TOTAL =	1.067E 11	100.00	1.75	2.471E 10	TOTAL =	48.000	2.267E 11		
			2.00	2.186E 10					
			2.25	1.939E 10					
			2.50	1.724E 10					
			2.75	1.535E 10					
			3.00	1.367E 10					
			3.25	1.210E 10					
			3.50	1.087E 10					
			3.75	9.702E 09					
			4.00	8.658E 09					
			4.25	7.728E 09					
			4.50	6.830E 09					
			4.75	6.150E 09					
			5.00	5.500E 09					

ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/DAY *** NON-AVERAGED FLUXES ARE IN UNITS OF PARTICLES/CM**2/SEC
ALL FLUXES ON THIS TABLE ARE FOR ENERGIES > 5 MEV (EXCEPT WHERE ENERGY IS SPECIFIED, AS IN SPECTRUM)

ORBITAL FLUX STUDY FOR COMPOSITE PROTON ENVIRONMENT * CRIDS A61, A67, A66, ARE DATE OF RUN = YEAR 1971, DAY 0138
INCLINAT. = 80 * PERIG. = 150 * APOG. = 4000 KM * REL ORBIT TAPE TO 6160 * PERIOD = 2.148 * VEHICLE =

LOW ENERGY

SPECTRUM IN % DE				COMPOSITE ORBIT SPECTRUM			EXPOSURE INDEX		
ENERGY RANGES (MEV)	AVRAGED TOTAL FLUX (PER DAY)	SPECTRUM (PER CENT)	ENERGY GEIR. THAN (MEV)	AVRAGED INTEG. FLUX (PER DAY)	INTENSITY RANGES (PT/CM**2/SEC)	DURATION OF EXPOSURE (HRS)	TOTAL NO. OF ACCUMULATED PARTICLES (E>.1)		
.10- .50	5.532E 10	54.309	.10	1.070E 11	0.E0-1.E0	20.200	6.384E 04		
.50-1.10	1.872E 10	18.384	.20	6.552E 10	1.E0-1.E1	0.017	5.970E 02		
1.10-2.00	1.251E 10	12.278	.50	5.167E 10	1.E1-1.E2	0.083	8.760E 03		
2.00-3.00	7.660E 09	7.528	.70	4.337E 10	1.E2-1.E3	0.167	1.866E 05		
3.00-4.00	4.690E 09	4.605	.90	3.746E 10	1.E3-1.E4	0.433	7.650E 06		
4.00-5.00	2.951E 09	2.897	1.10	3.205E 10	1.E4-1.E5	0.967	1.295E 08		
			1.30	2.932E 10	1.E5-OVER	26.250	2.138E 11		
			1.50	2.630E 10					
			1.75	2.313E 10					
			2.00	2.044E 10					
			2.25	1.813E 10					
			2.50	1.611E 10					
			2.75	1.434E 10					
			3.00	1.277E 10					
			3.25	1.139E 10					
			3.50	1.015E 10					
			3.75	9.059E 09					
			4.00	8.094E 09					
			4.25	7.215E 09					
			4.50	6.440E 09					
			4.75	5.740E 09					
			5.00	5.133E 09					
TOTAL =	1.019E 11	100.00			TOTAL =	48.000	2.140E 11		

Figure 2

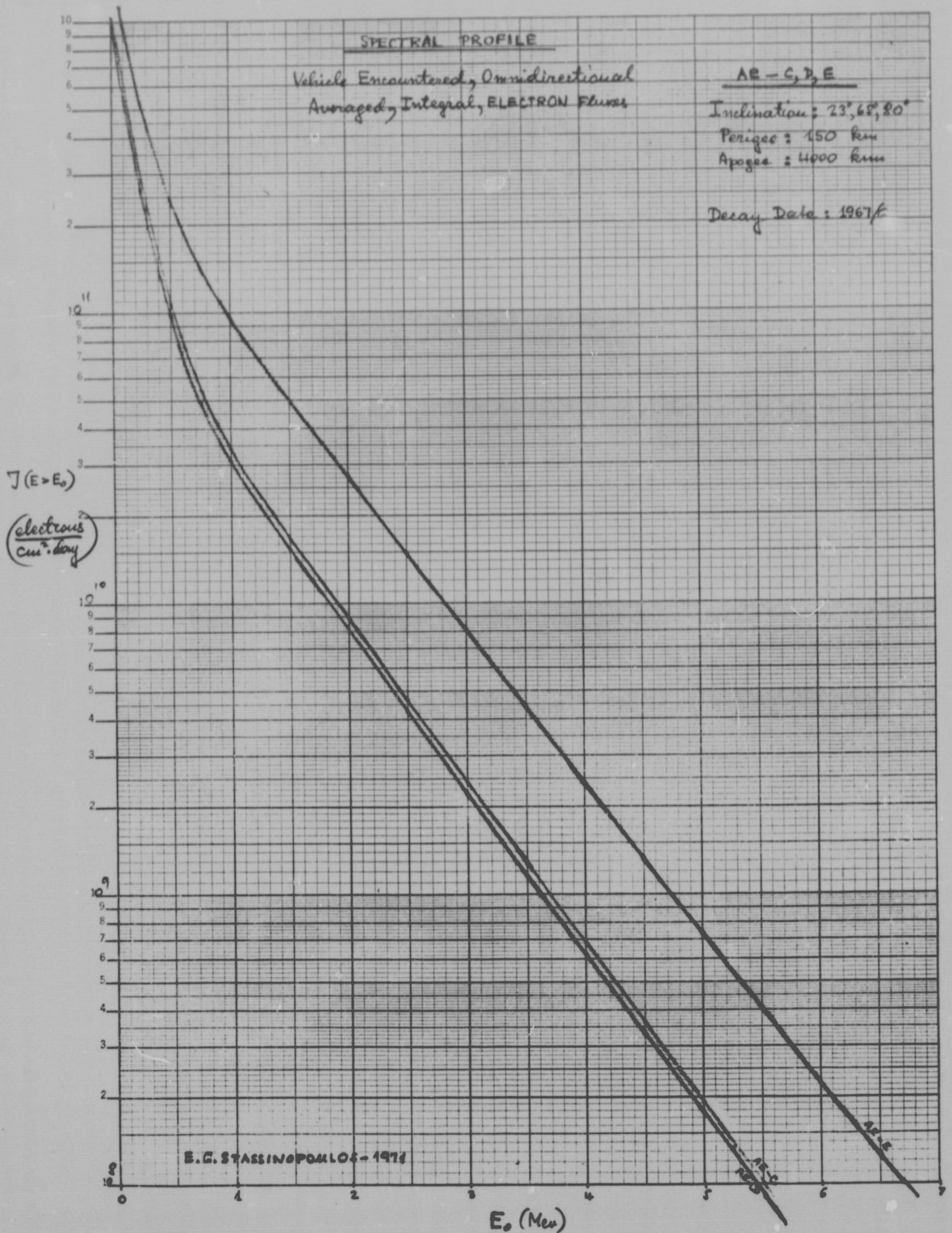


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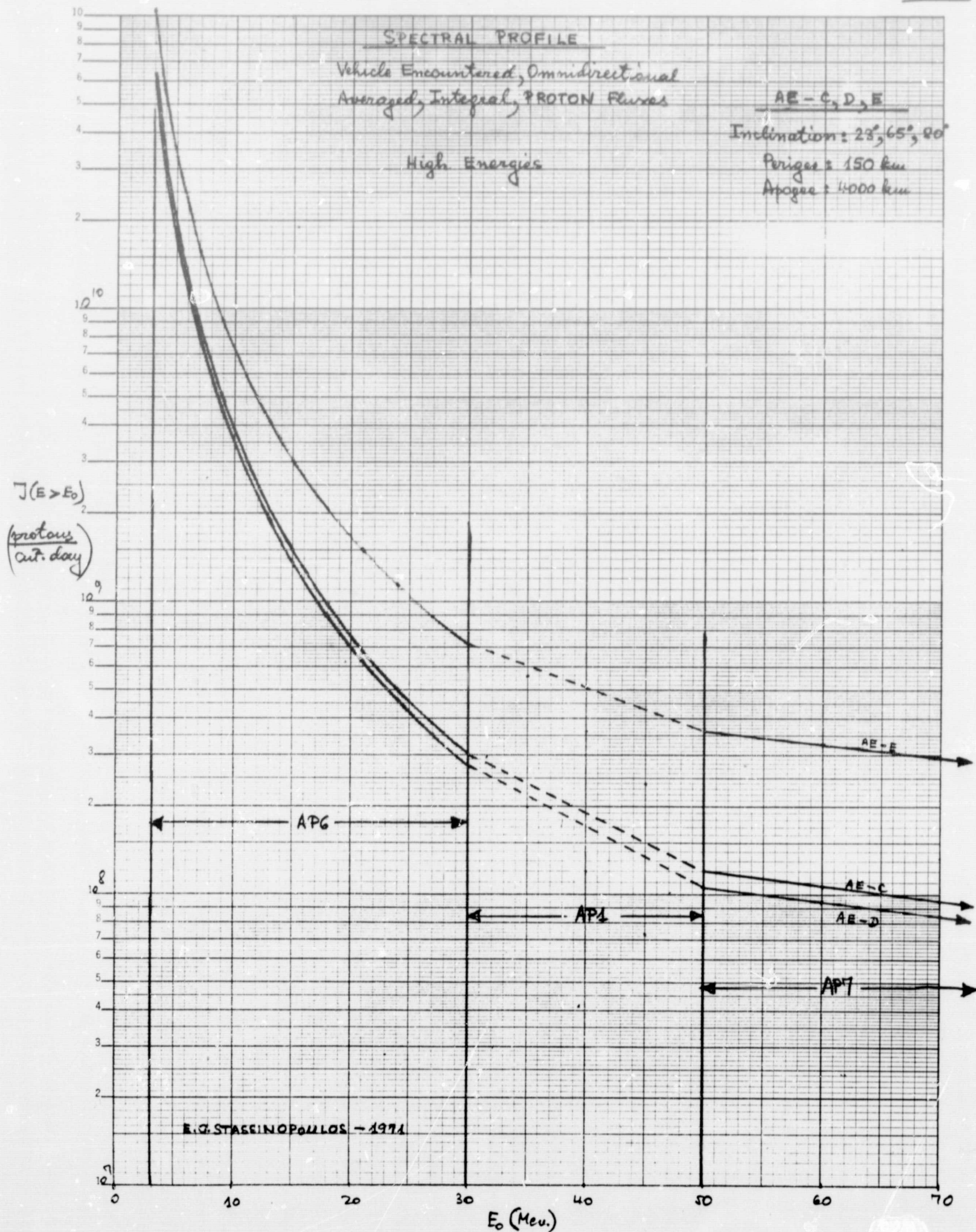


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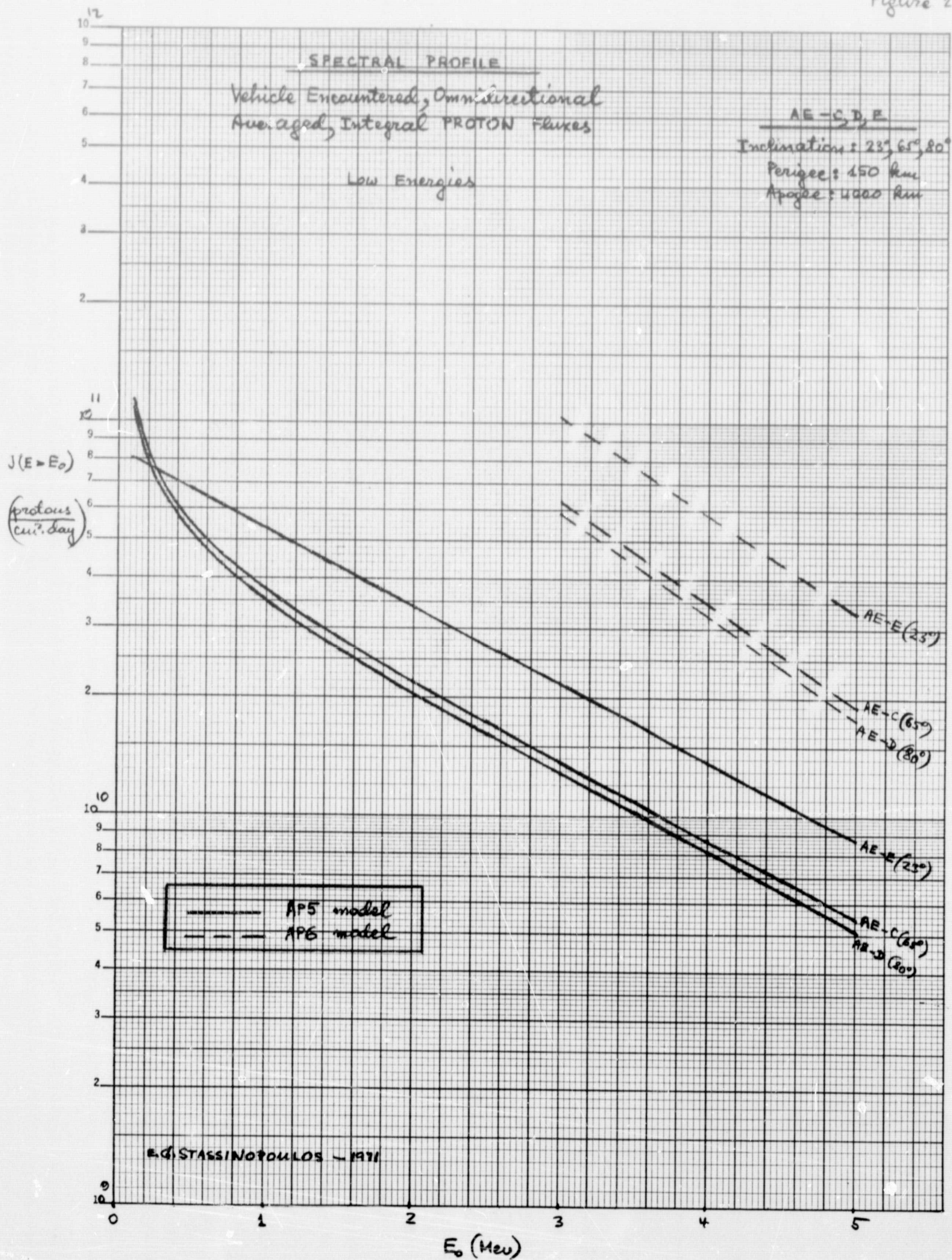
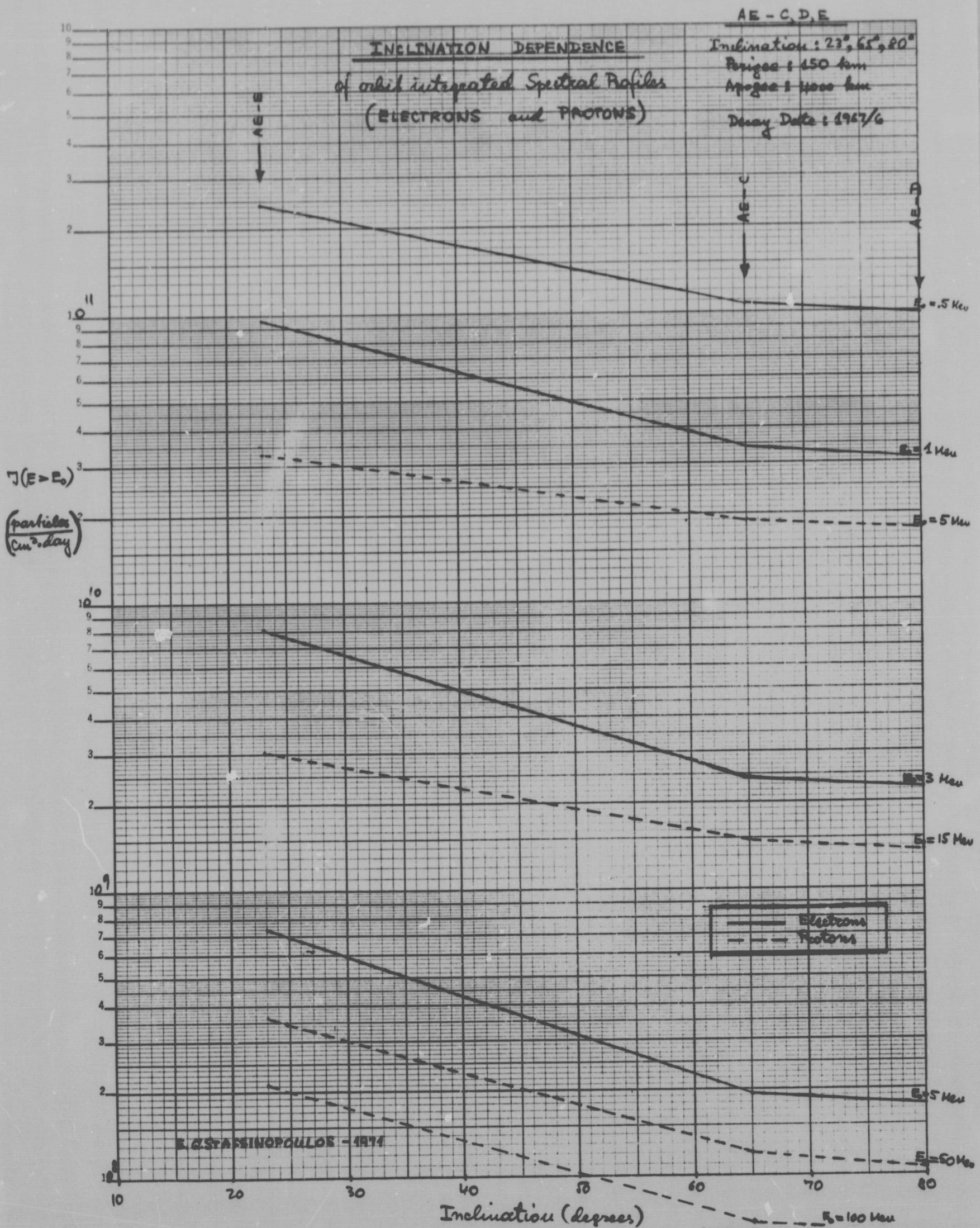


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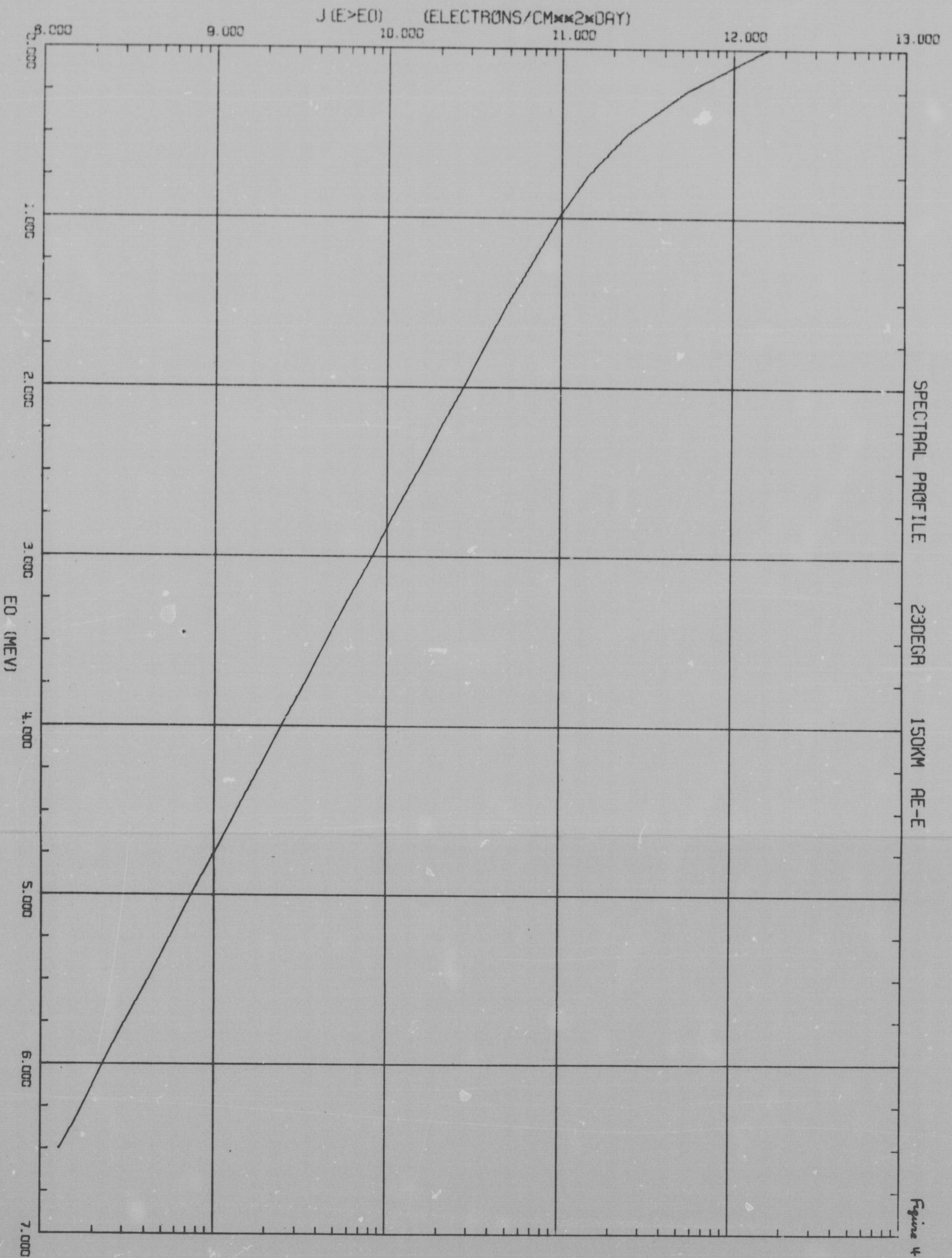
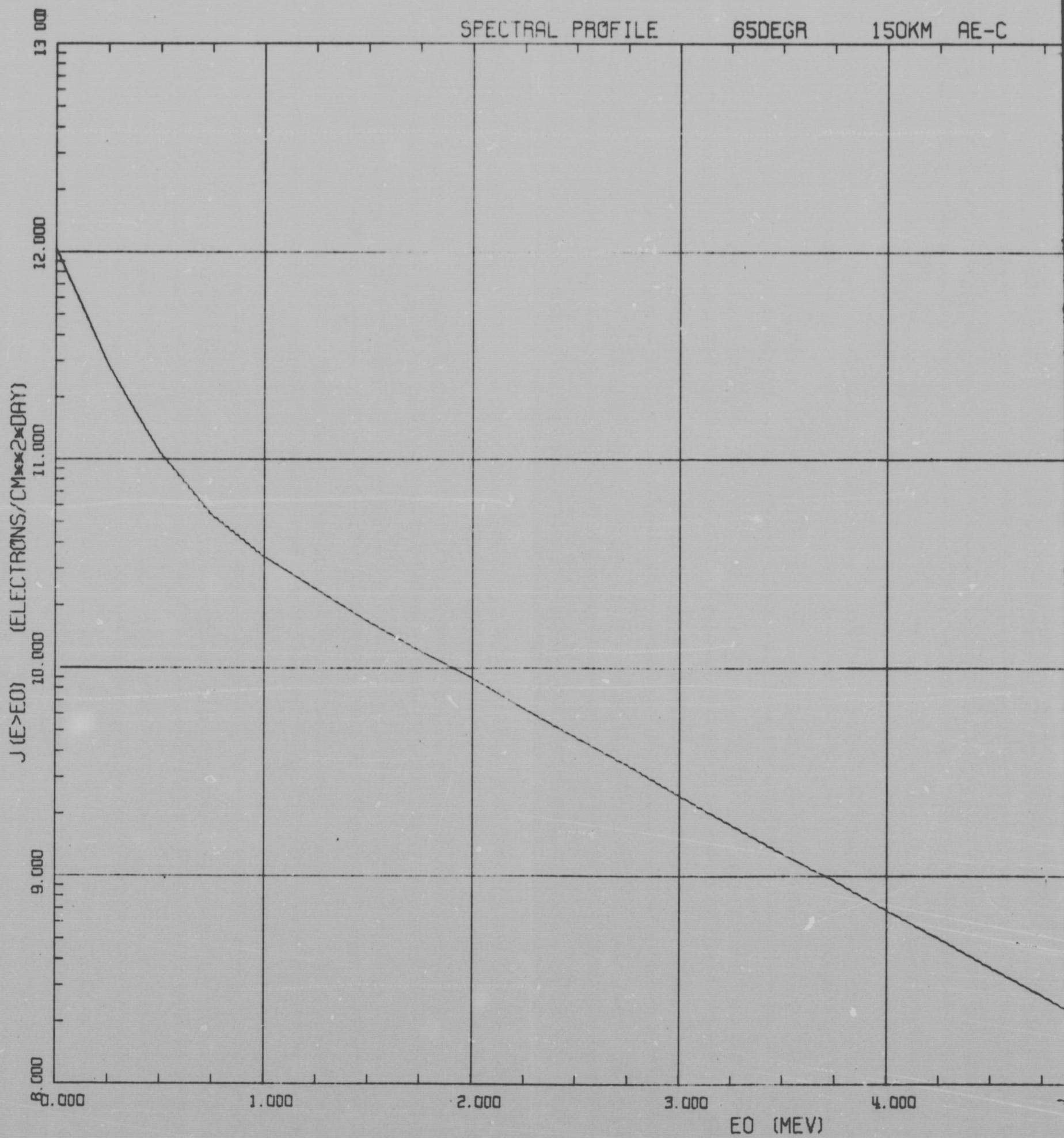


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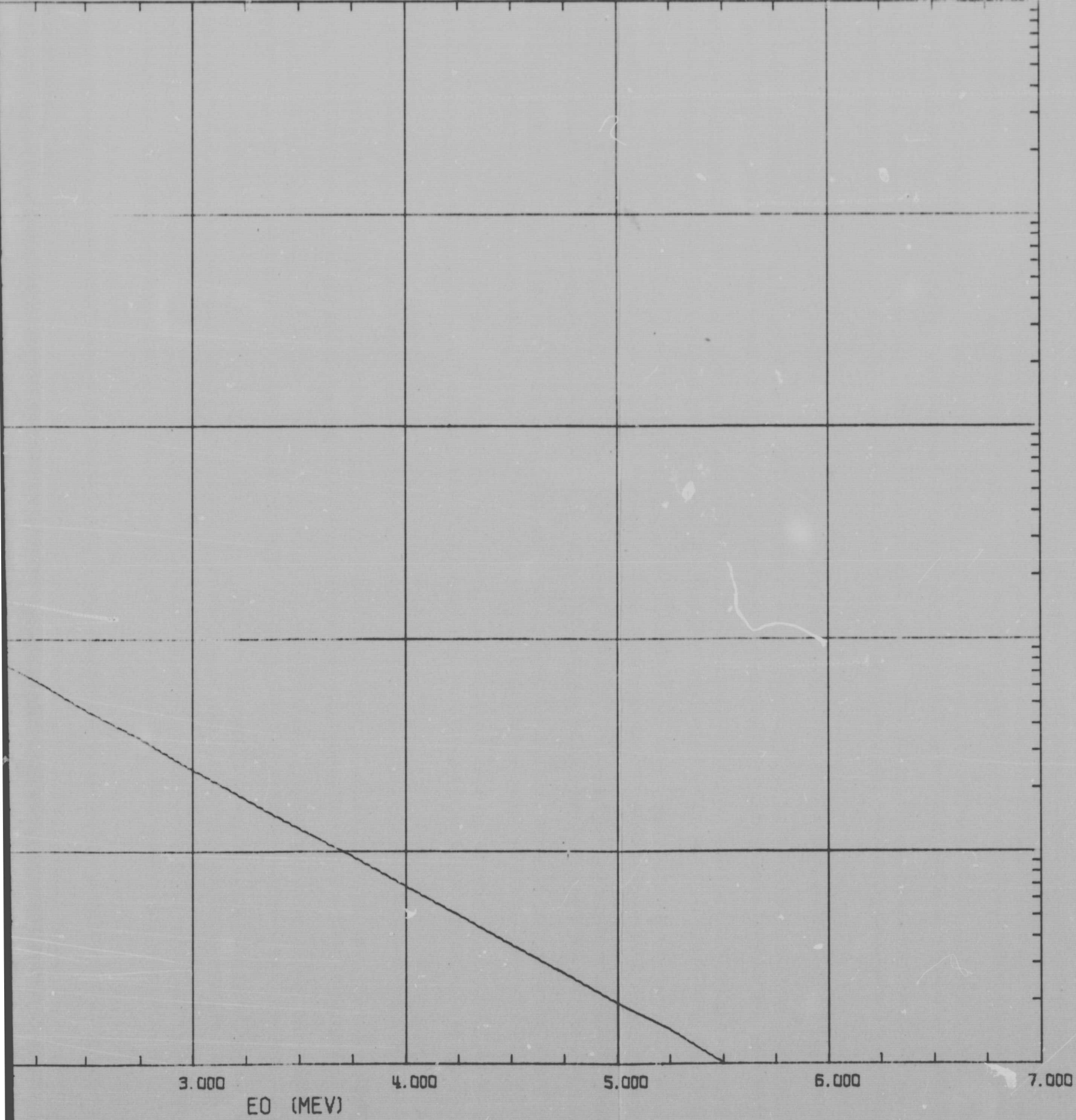
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CTRAL PROFILE

65DEGR

150KM

AE-C



SPECTRAL PROFILE

80DEGR

150KM AE-D

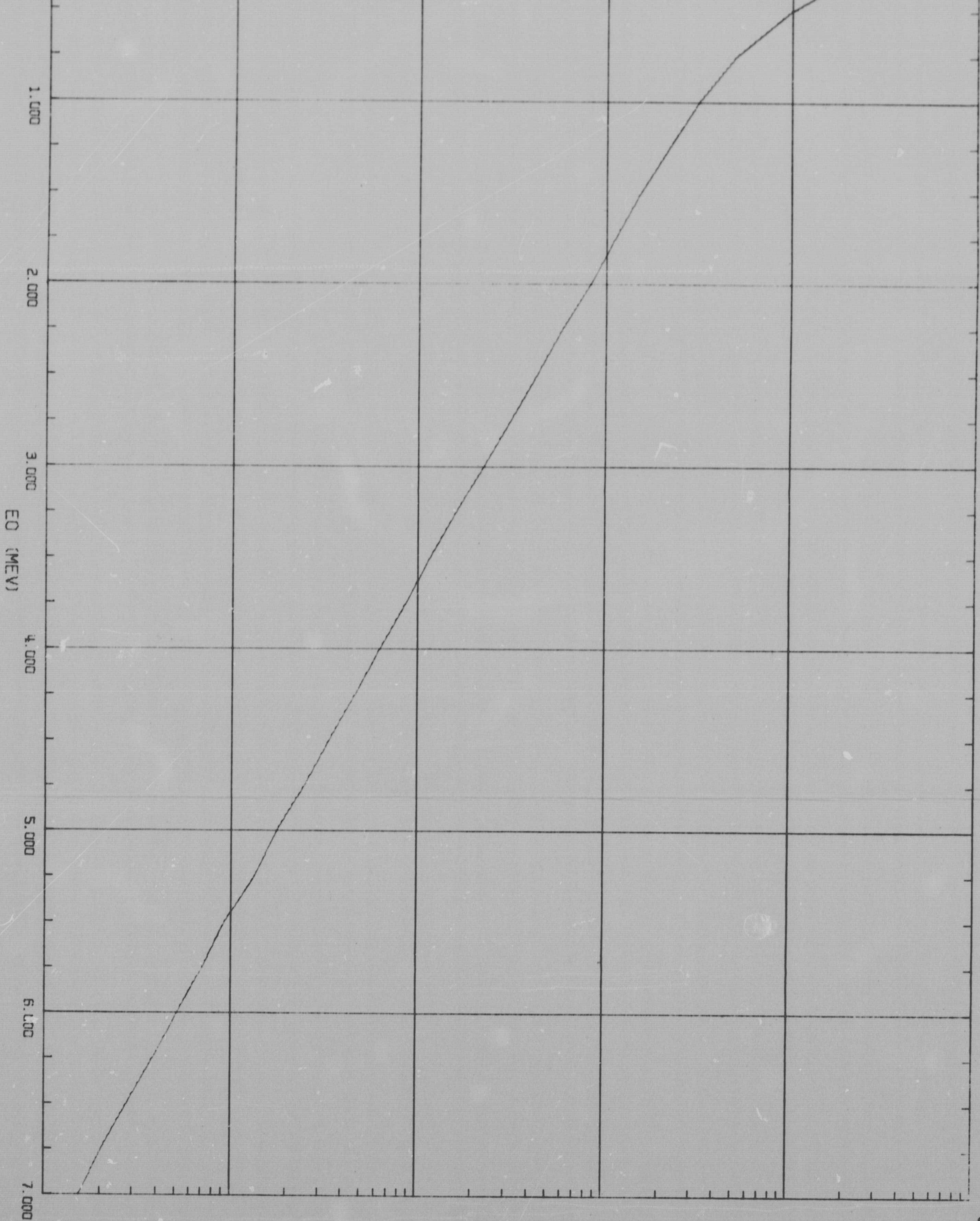


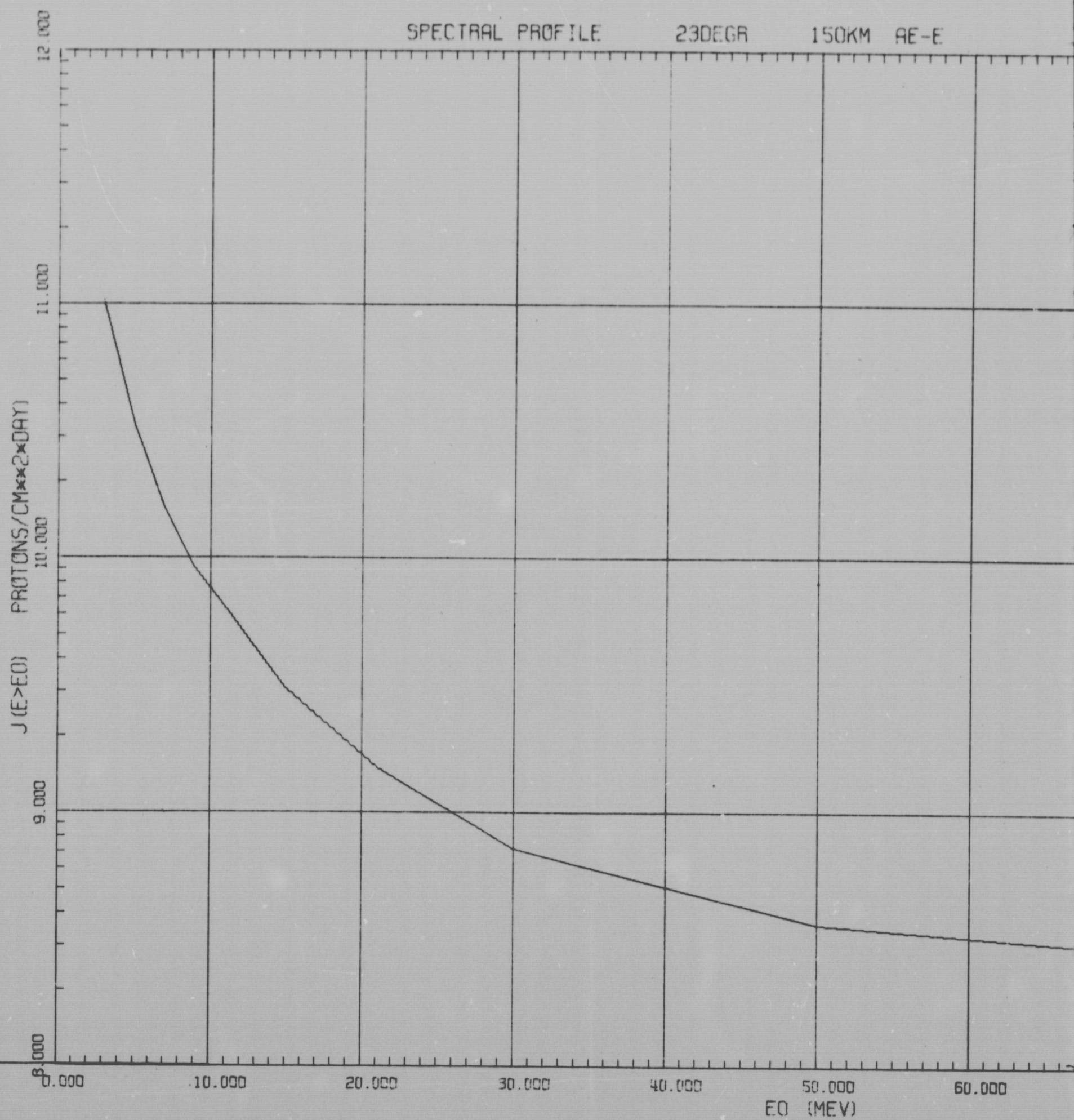
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SPECTRAL PROFILE

23DEGR

150KM AE-E

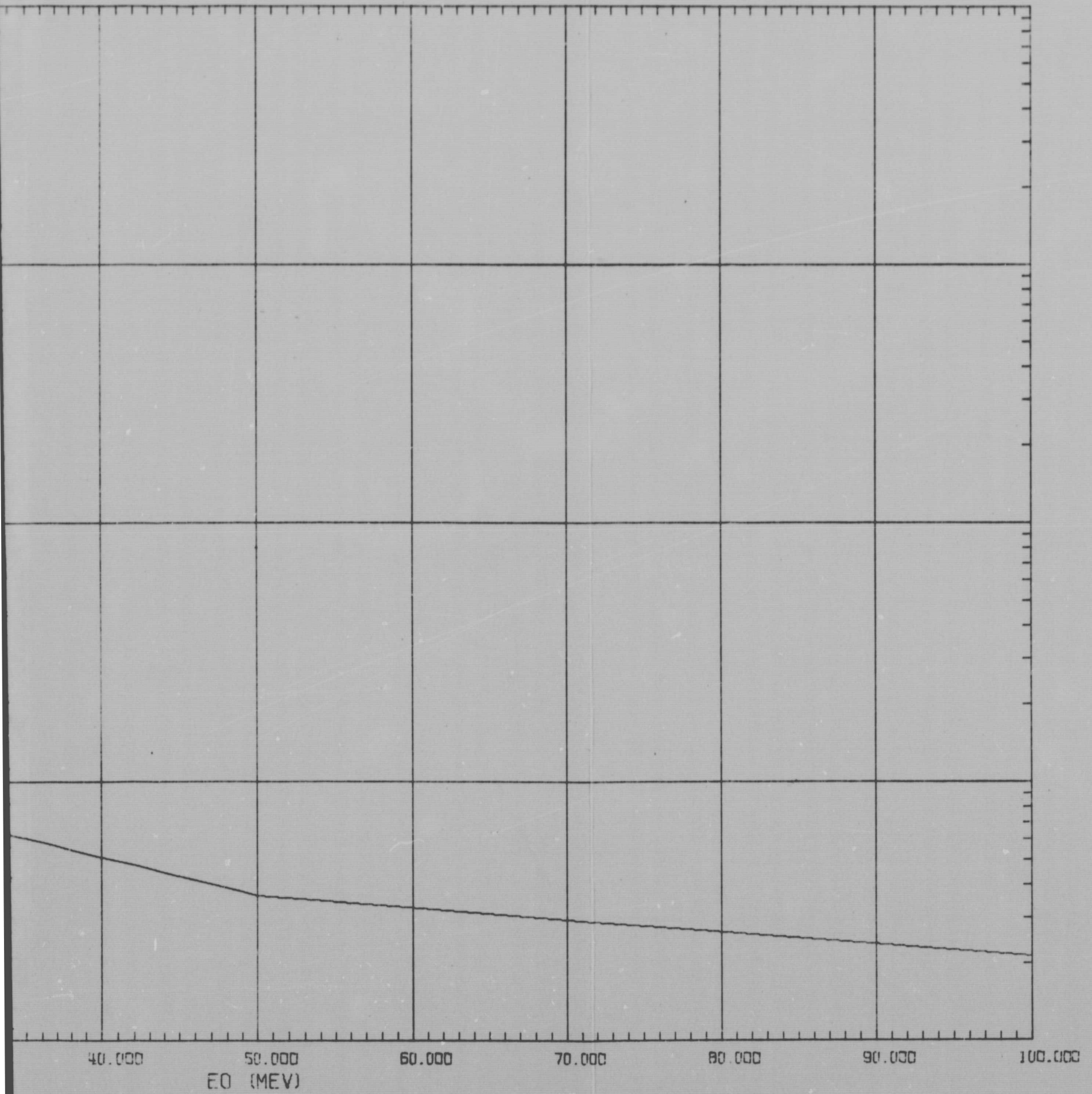


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Figure 7

LE 23DEGR 150KM AE-E

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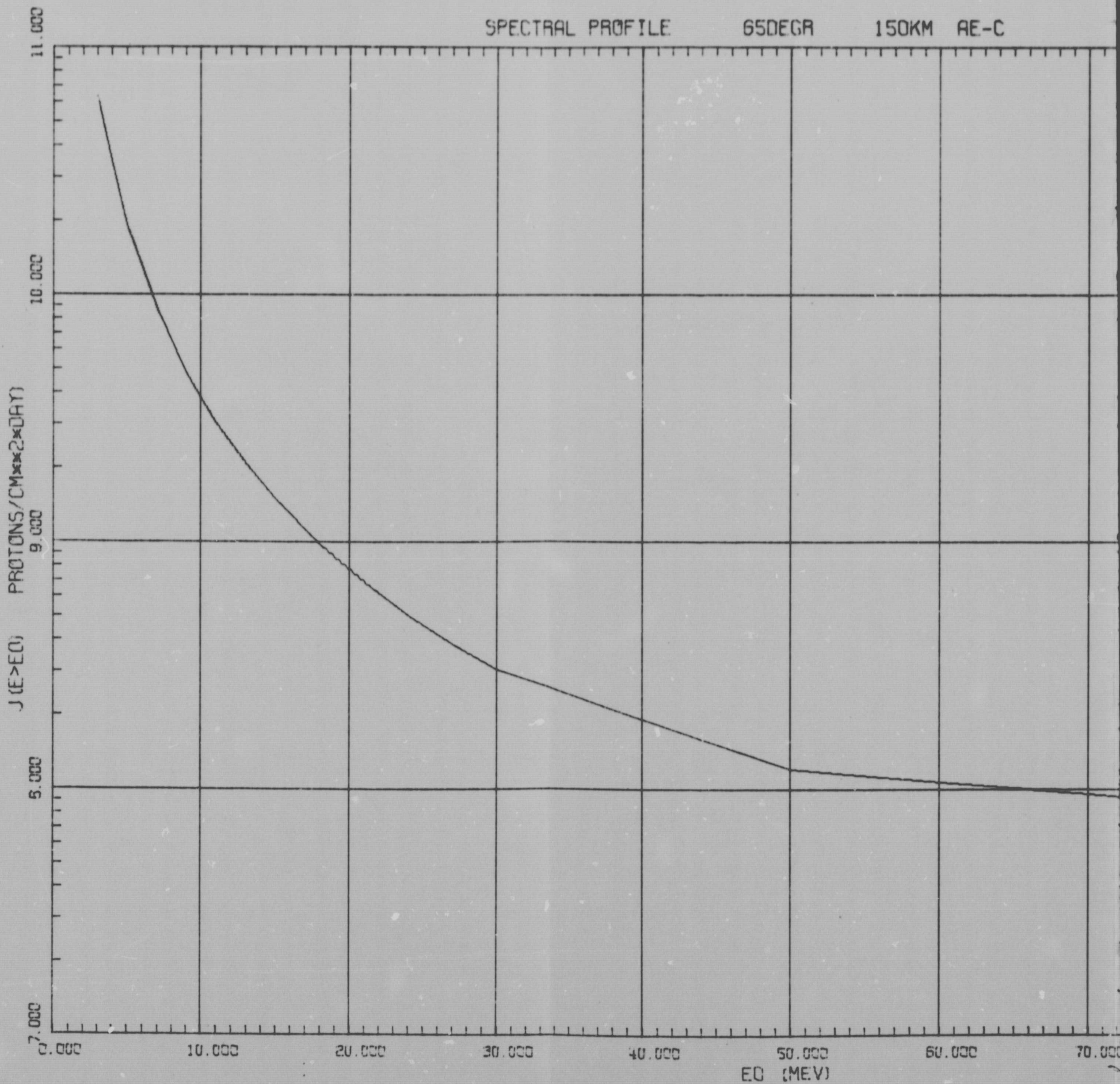
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SPECTRAL PROFILE

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150KM

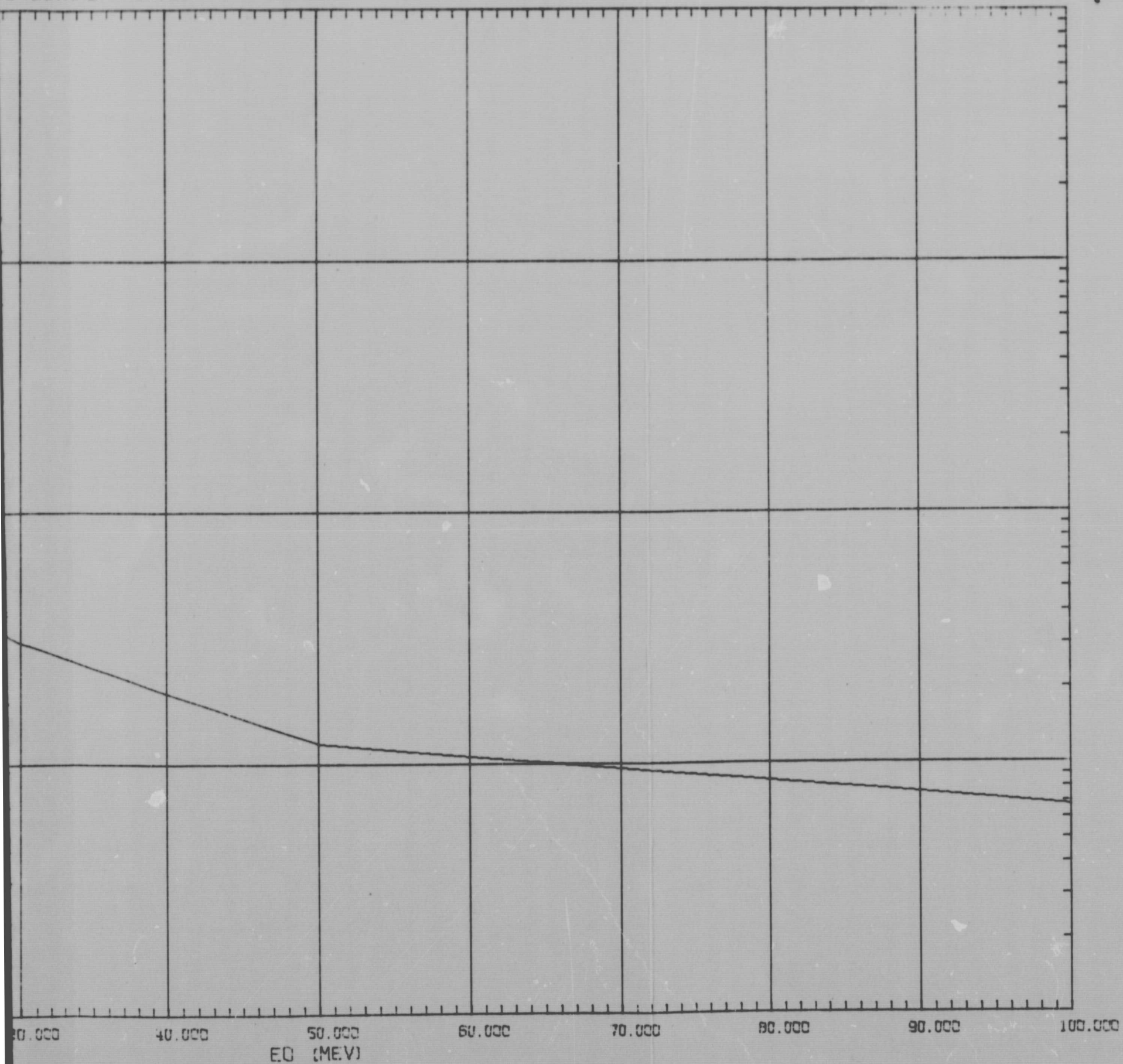
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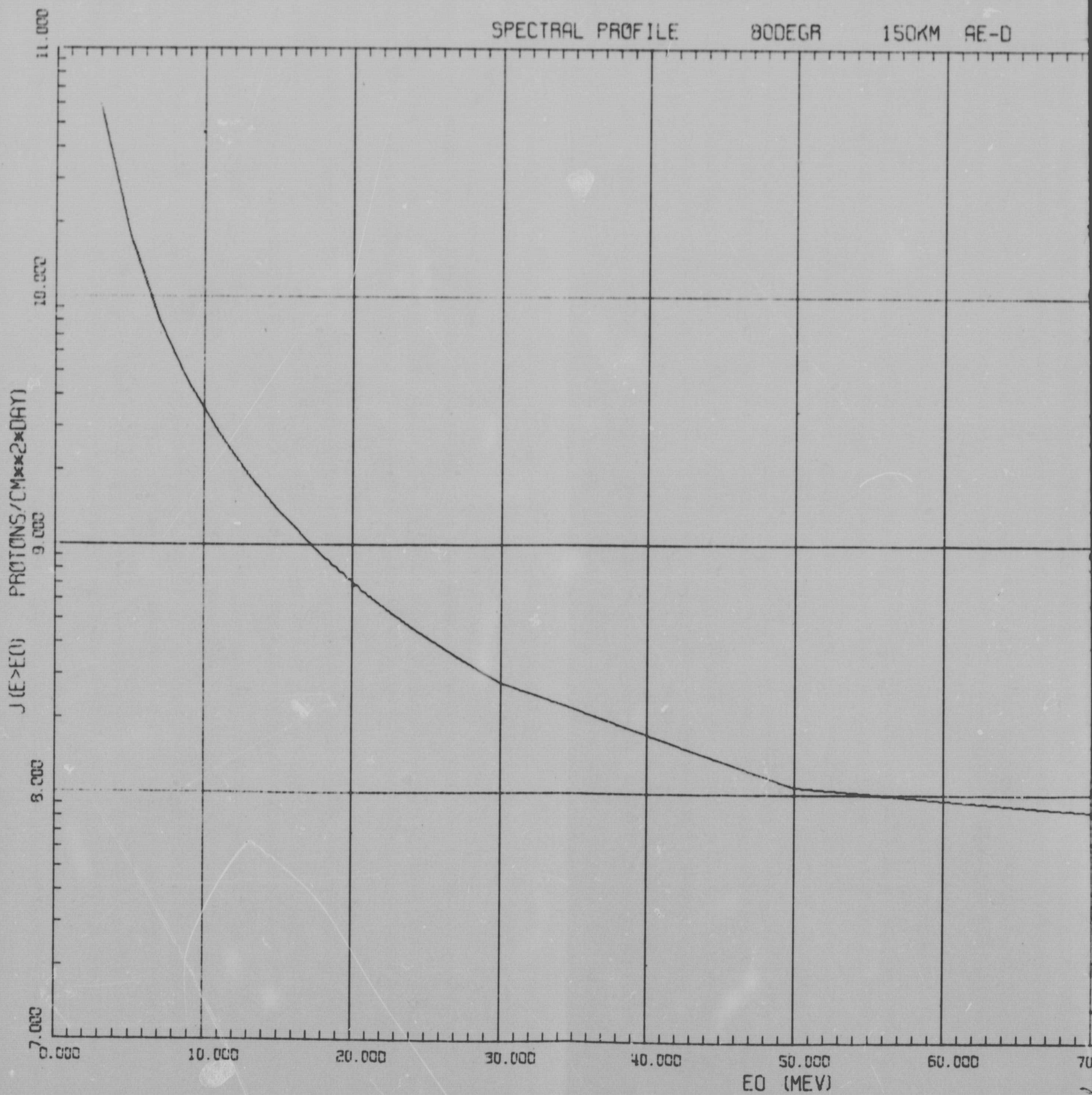
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SPECTRAL PROFILE 65DEGR 150KM AE-C

Figure 8



FOLDOUT FRAME 1



FOLDOUT FRAME 2

CTRAL PROFILE 80DEGR 150KM AE-D

Figure 9

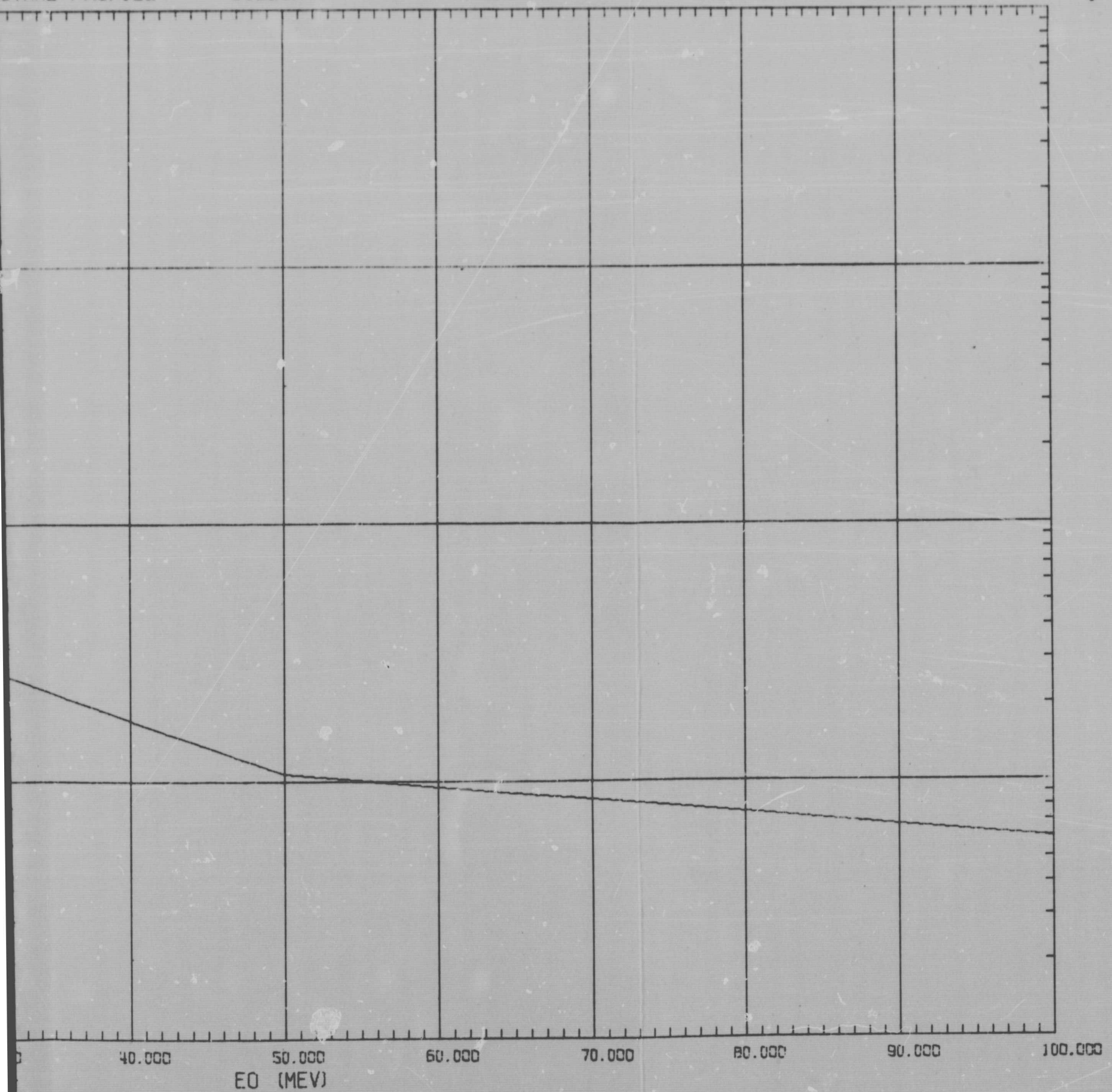


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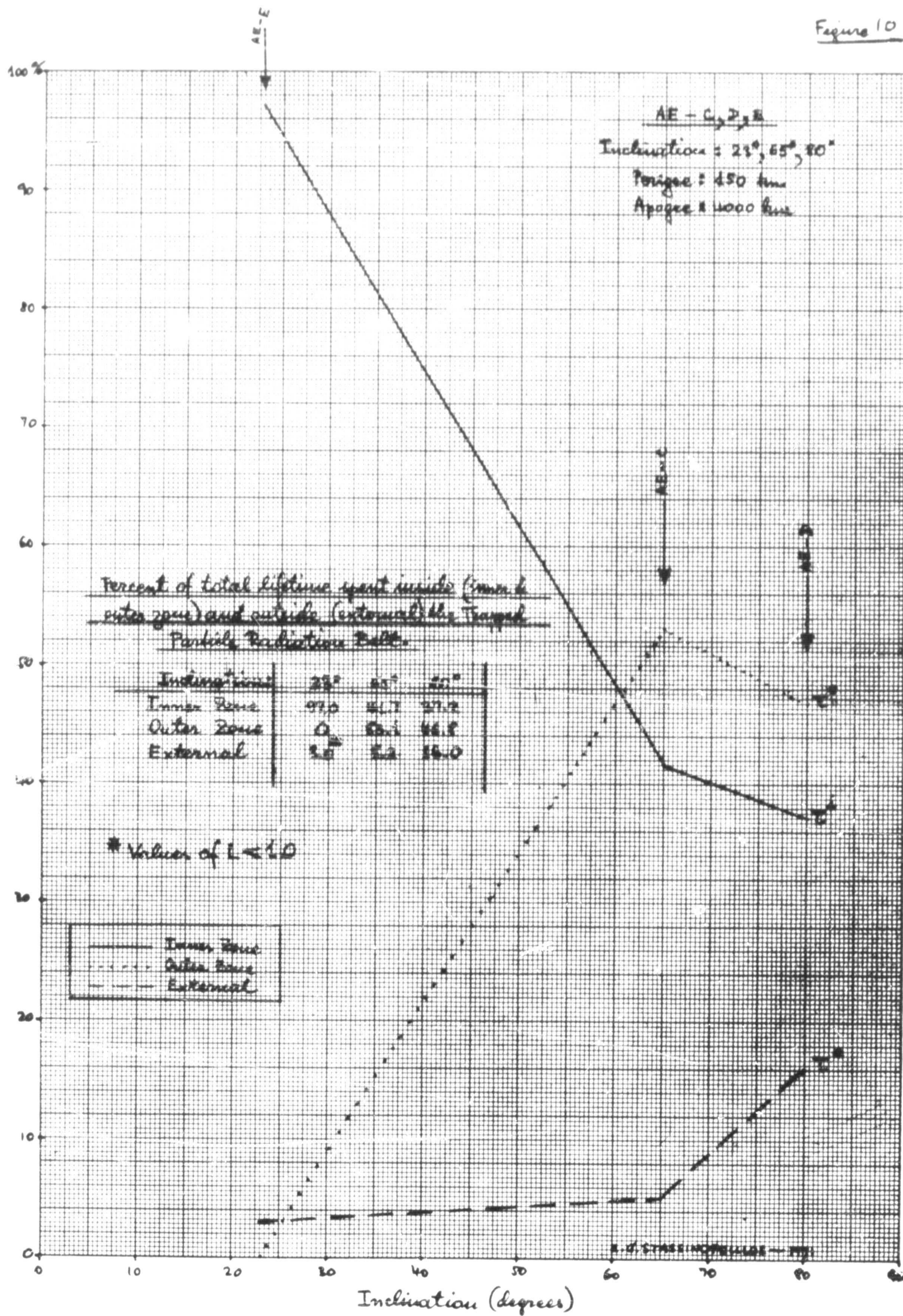
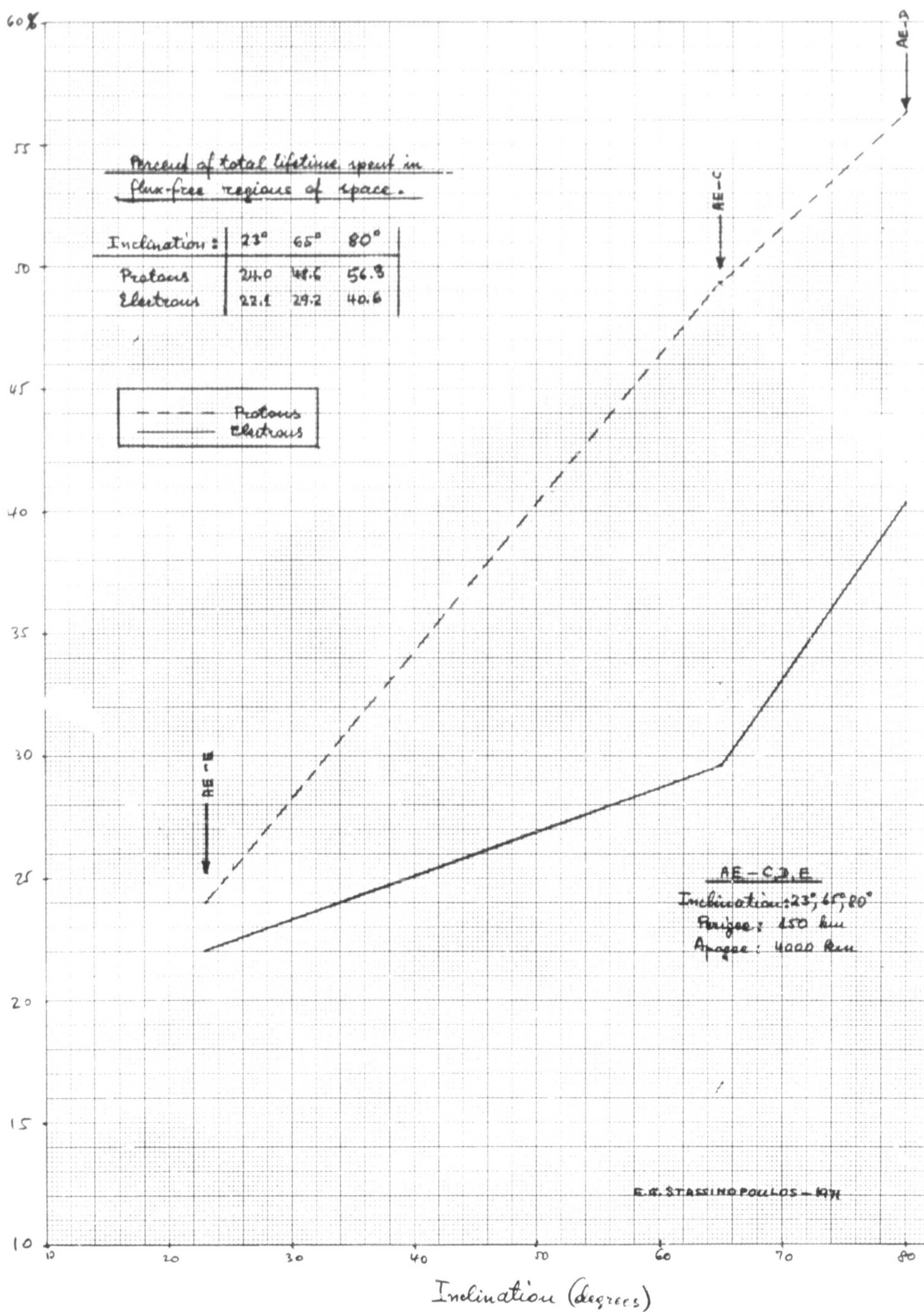


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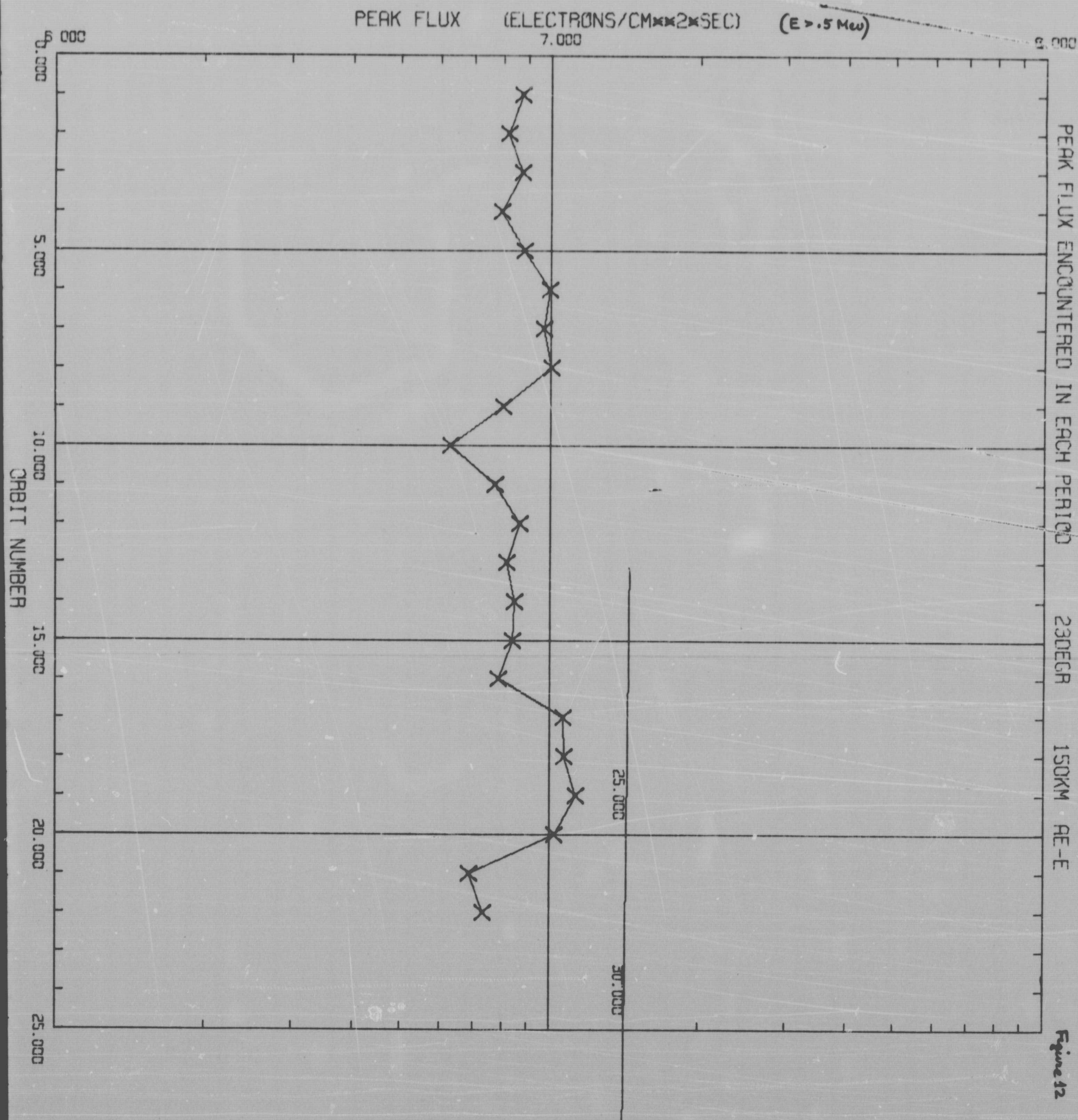


Figure 12

PEAK FLUX (ELECTRONS/CM²×SEC) (E>.5 Mev)

7.000

PEAK FLUX ENCOUNTERED IN EACH PERIOD

65DEGR

150KM

AE-C

Figure 13

5.000

5.000

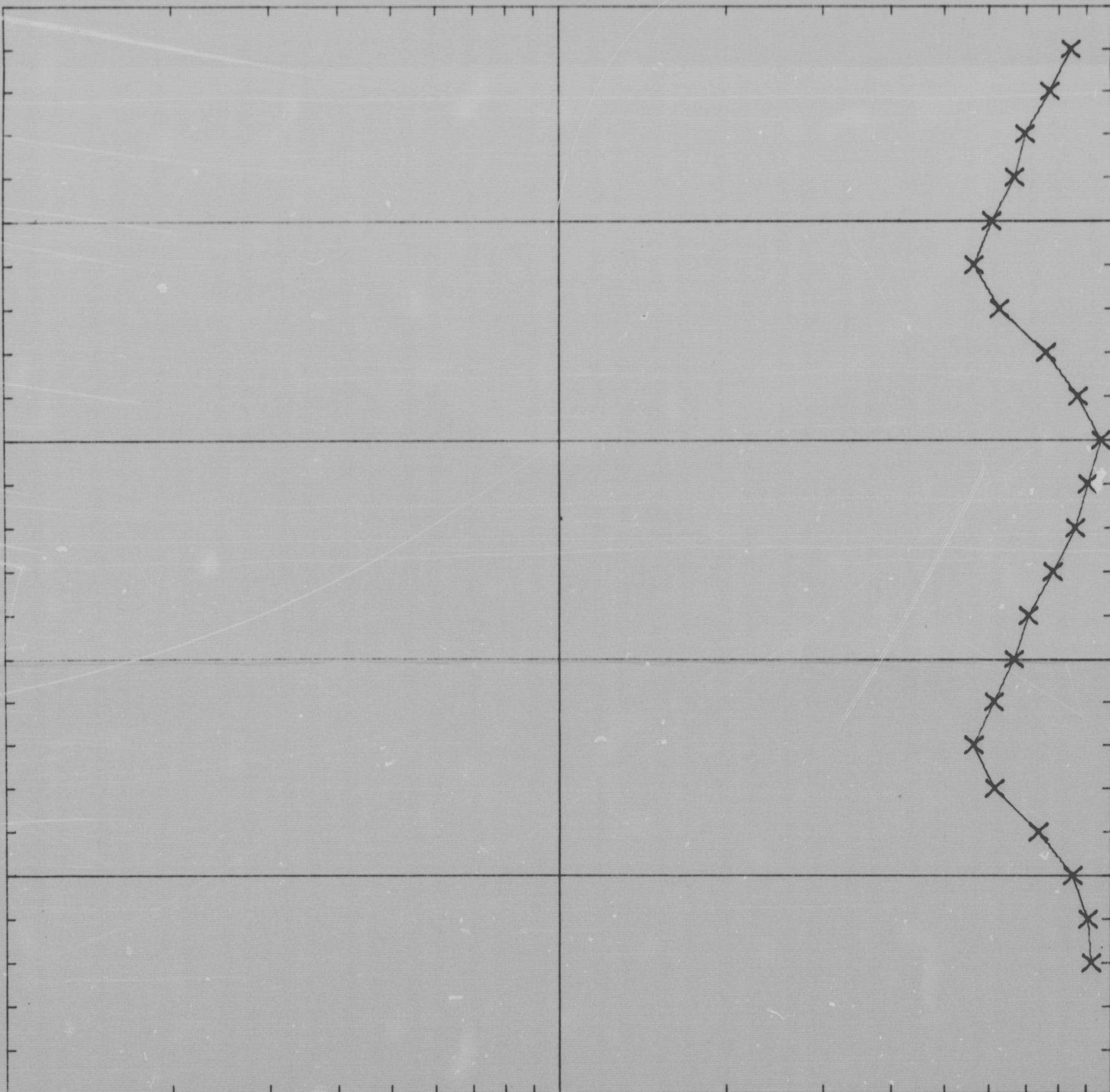
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15.000

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25.000

ORBIT NUMBER



PEAK FLUX (ELECTRONS/CM²SEC) ($E > .5$ Mev)

7.000

PEAK FLUX ENCOUNTERED IN EACH PERIOD

80DEGR

150KM AE-D

Figure 14

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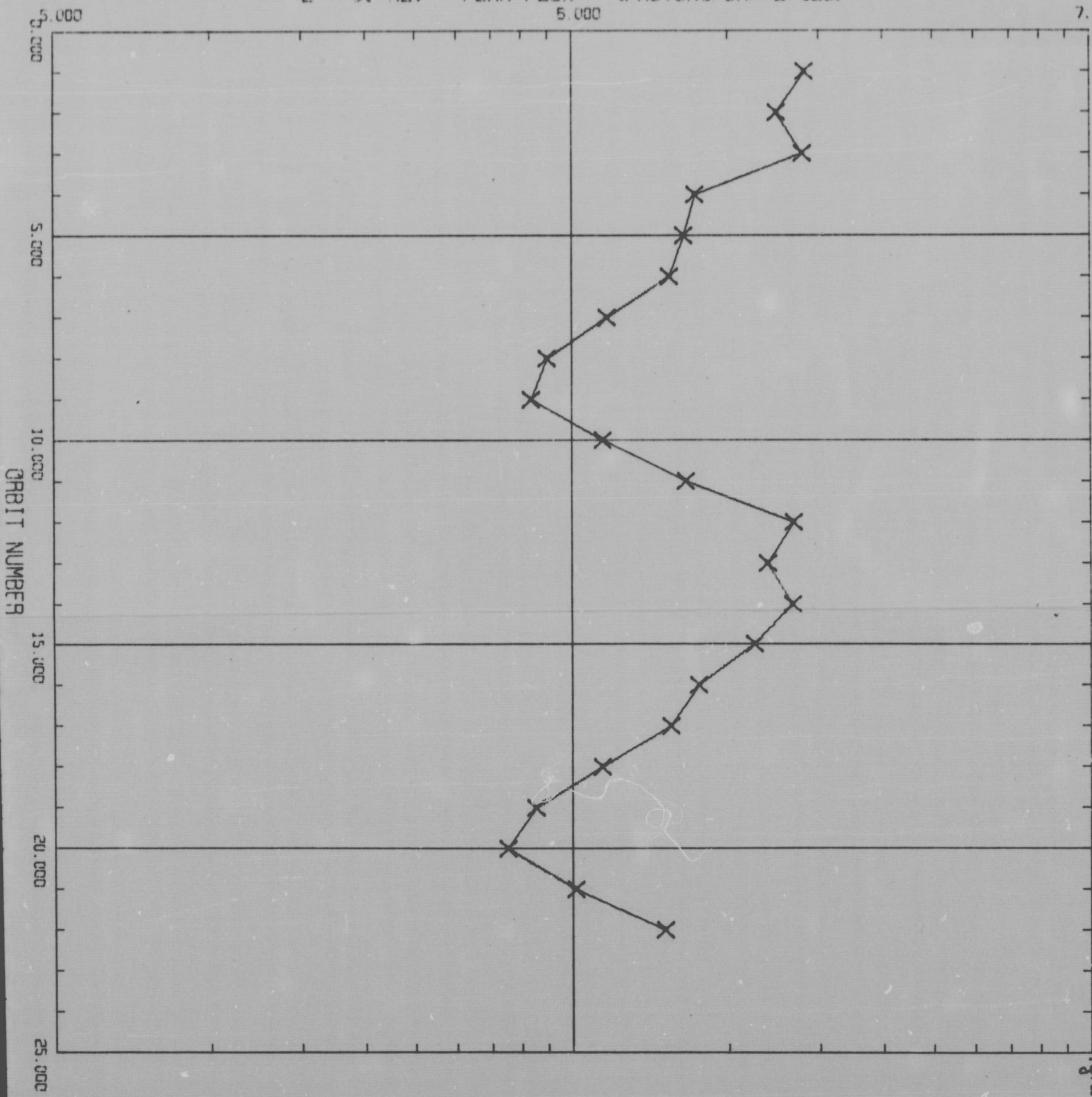
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E > 5. MEV PEAK FLUX (PROTONS/CM²-SEC)

PEAK FLUX ENCOUNTERED IN EACH PERIOD 23DEGR 150KM AE-E DATA SET 3 Fig 15



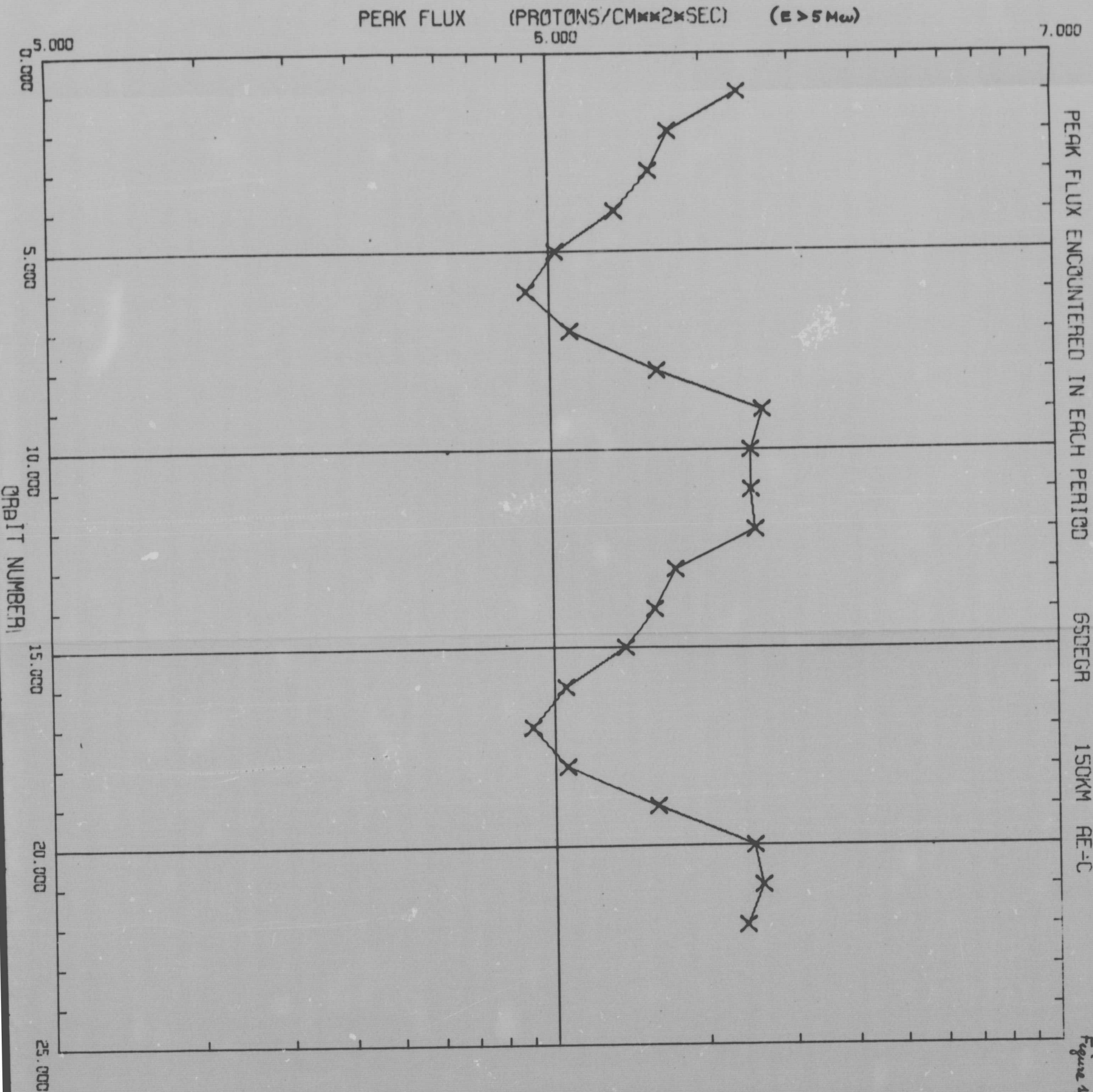


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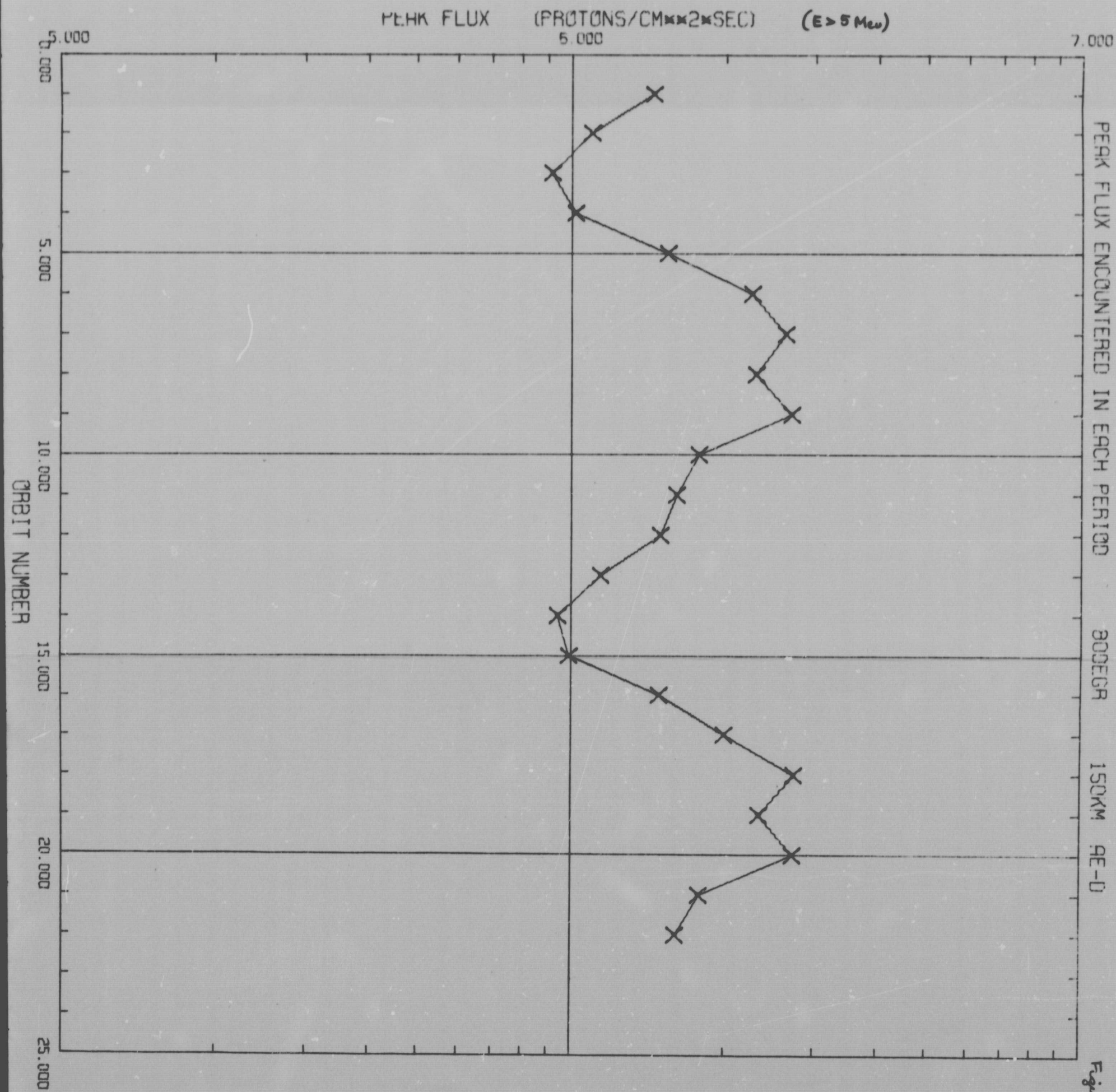
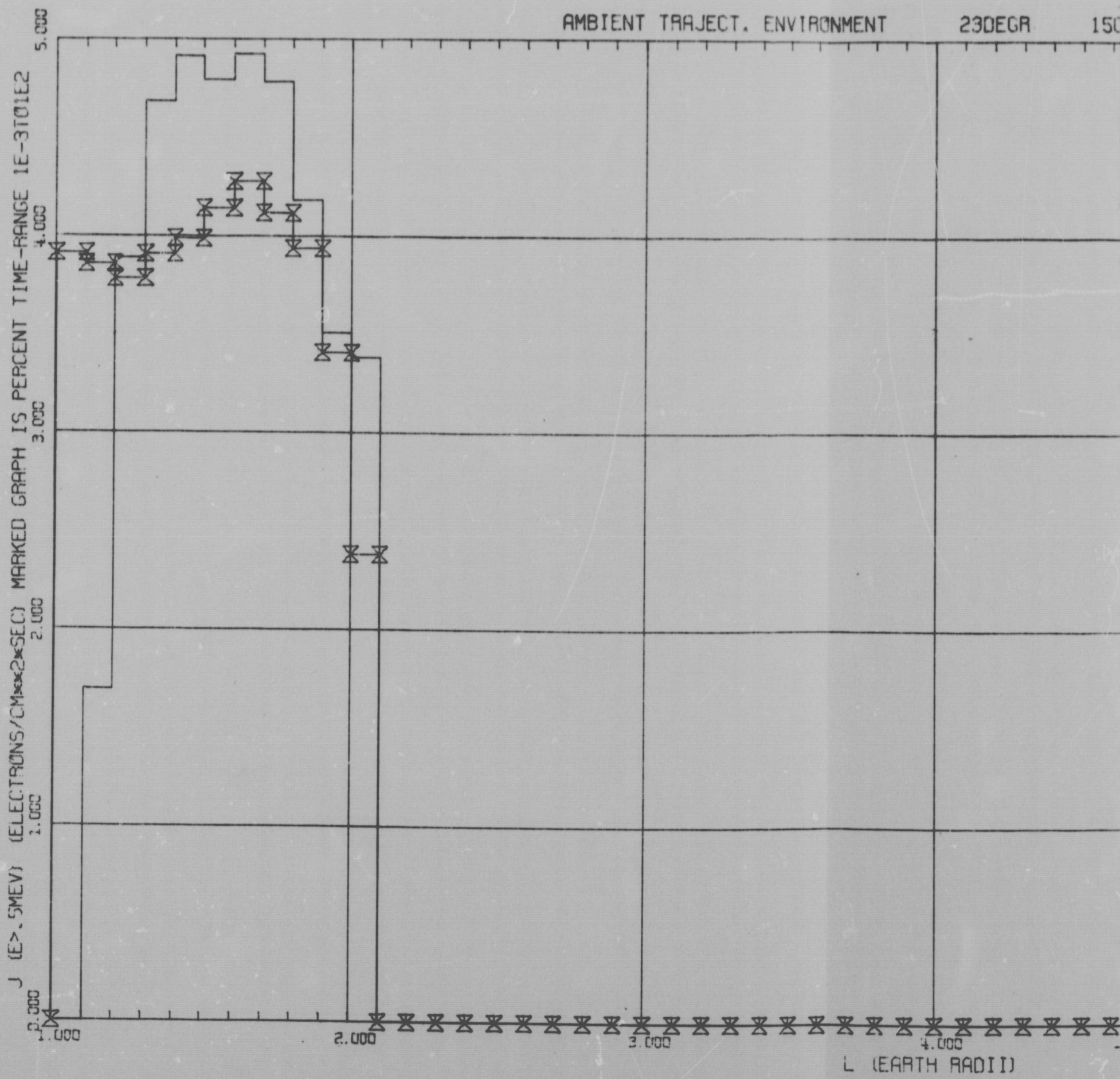


Figure 17

FOLDOUT FRAME (



FOLDOUT FRAME 2

ENVIRONMENT 23DEGR 150KM AE-E

Figure 1P



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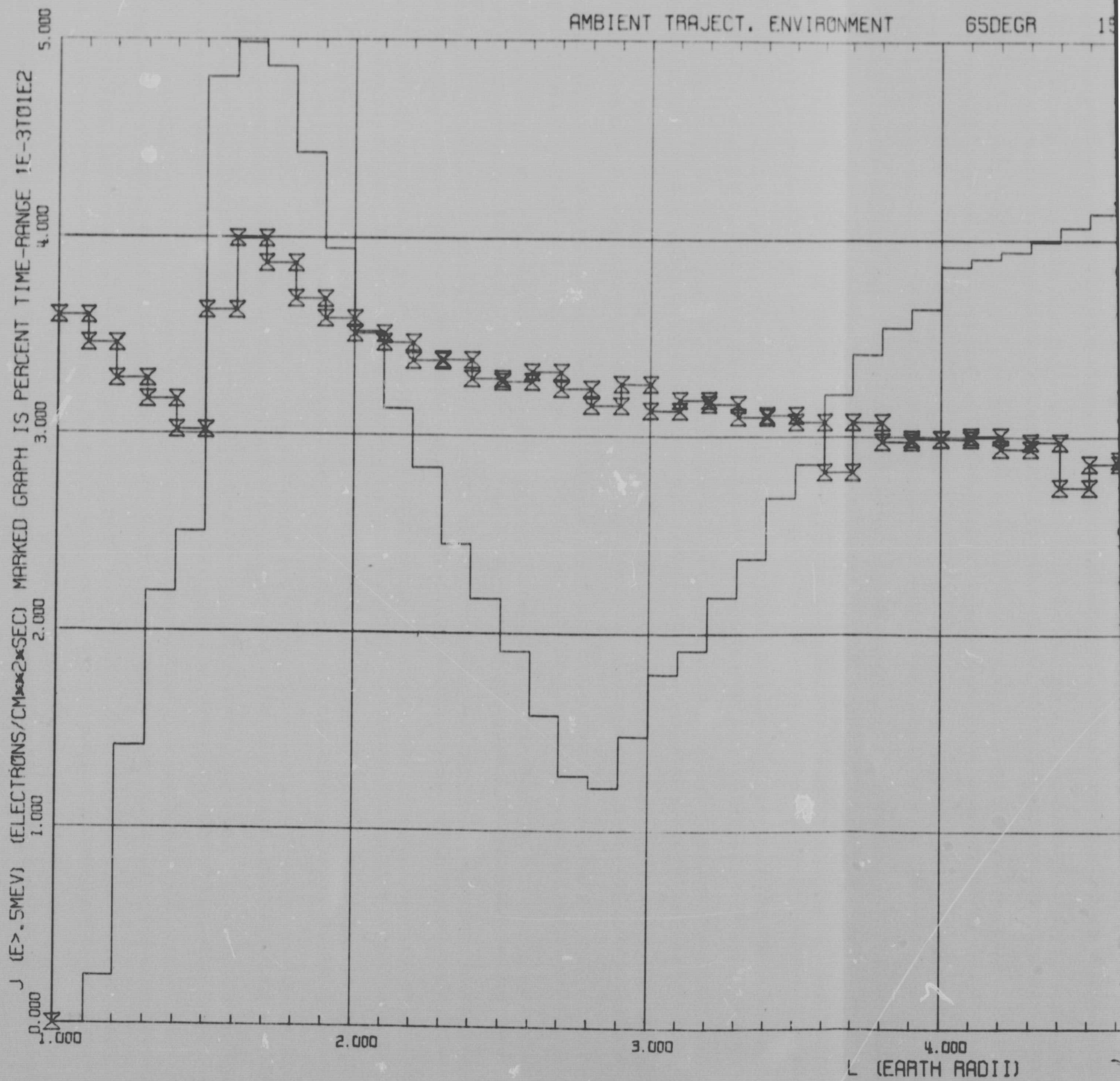
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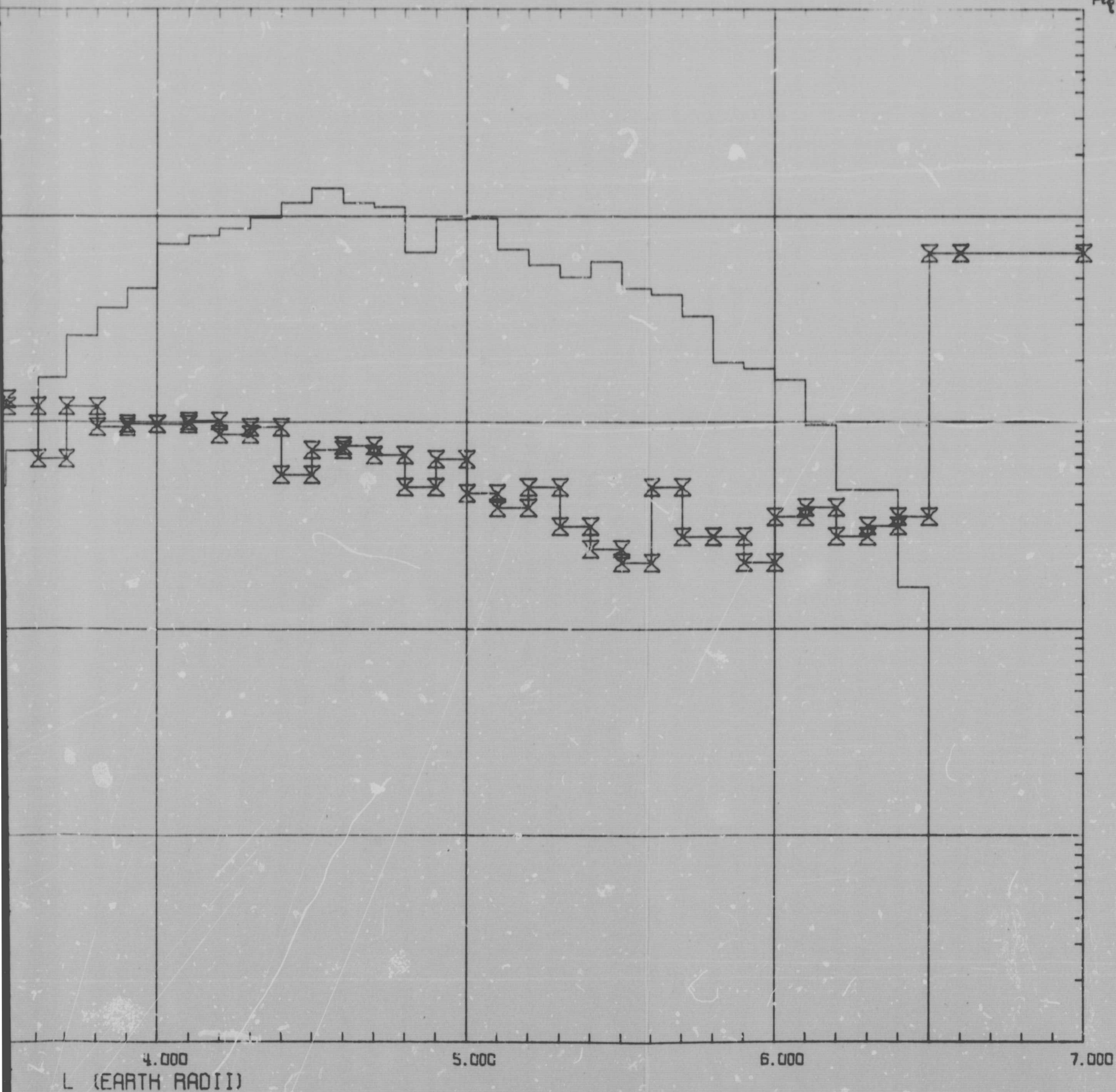
FOLDOUT FRAME 1



FOLDOUT FRAME 2

VIROBMENT 65DEGR 150KM AE-C

Figure 19



EOLDOUT FRAME

AMBIENT TRAJECT. ENVIRONMENT

80DEGR

19

J (E>.5MEV) (ELECTRONS/CM²SEC) MARKED GRAPH IS PERCENT TIME-RANGE 1E-3T01E2

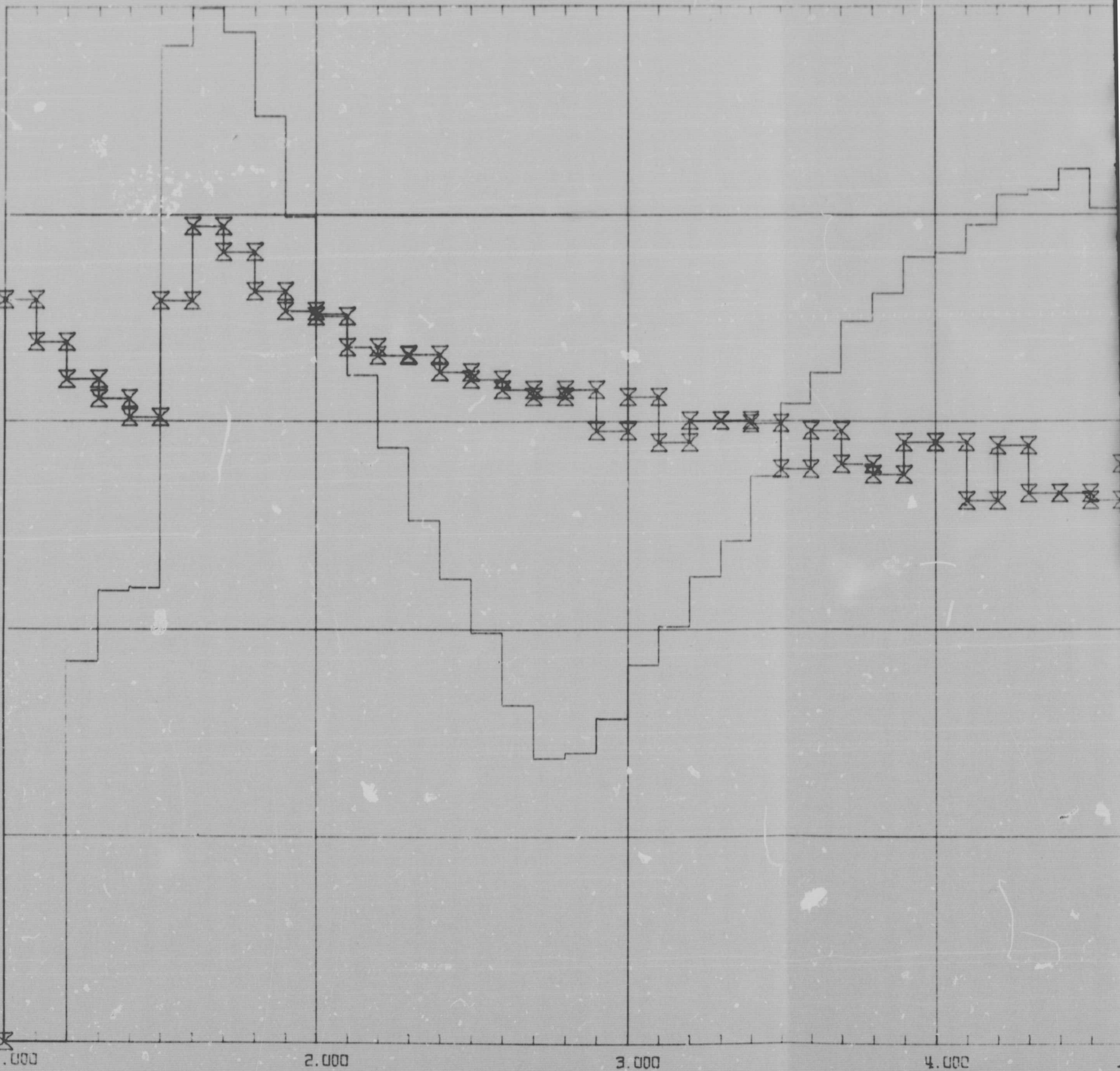
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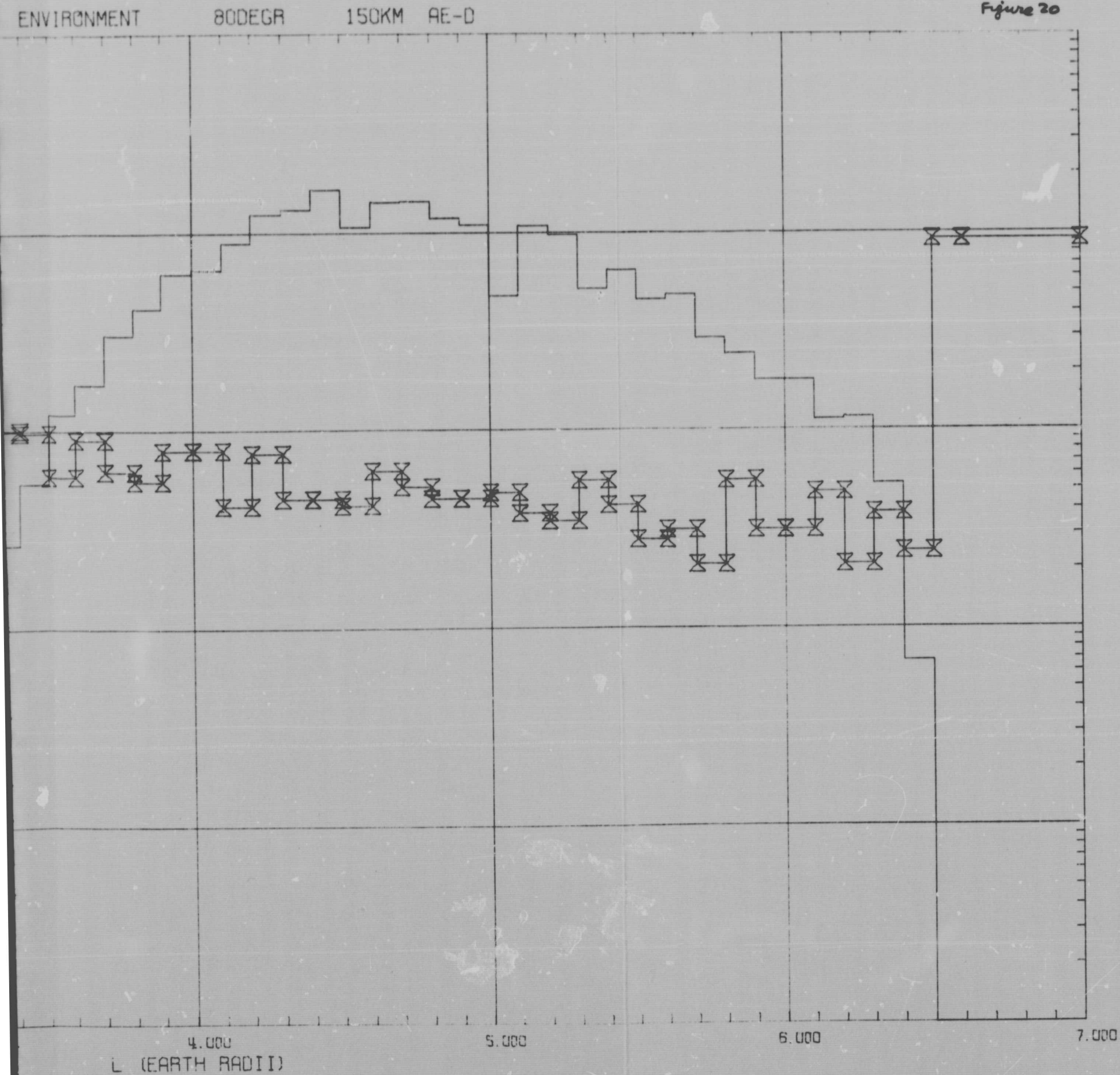
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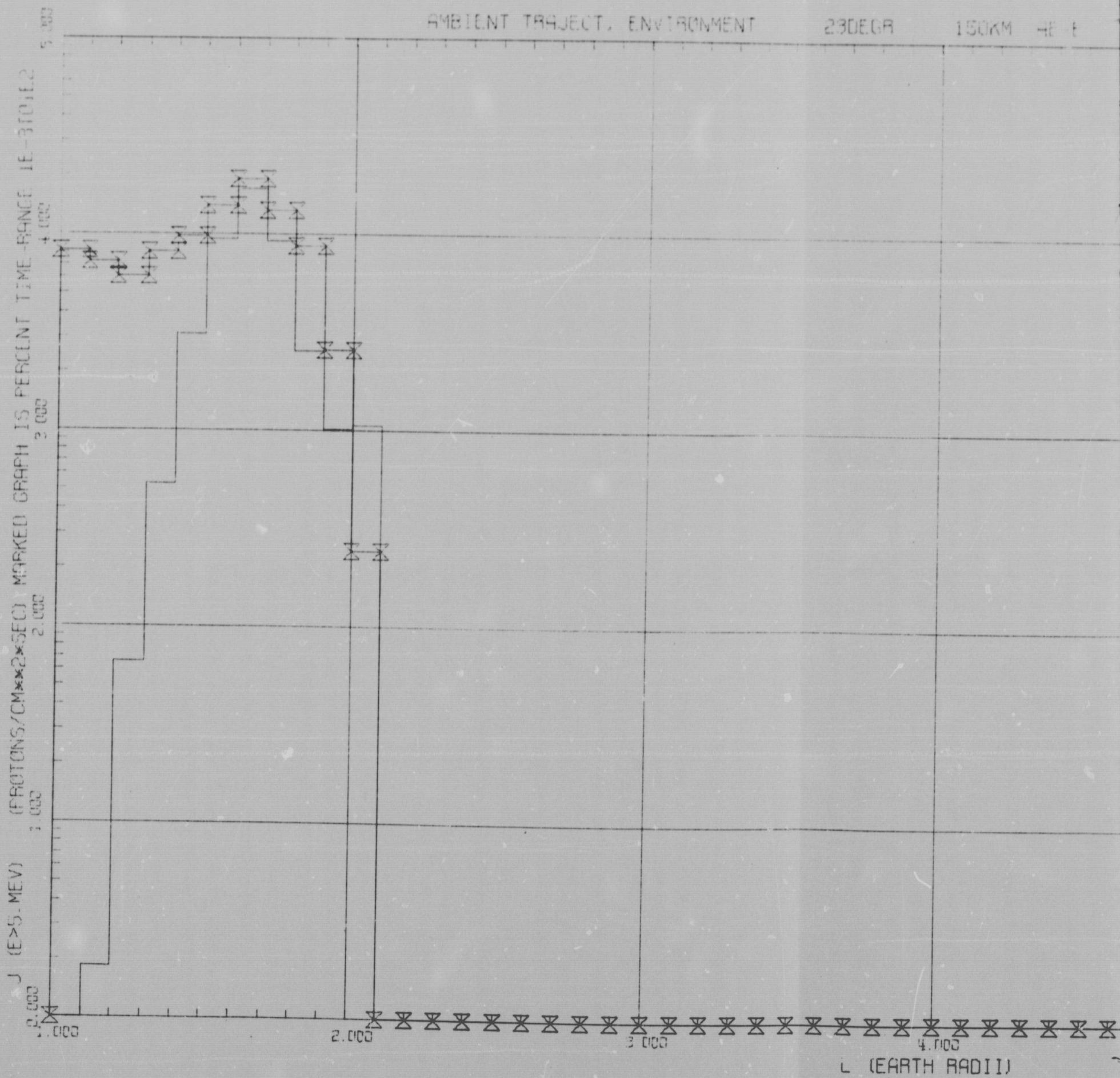


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Figure 20



FOLDOUT FRAME



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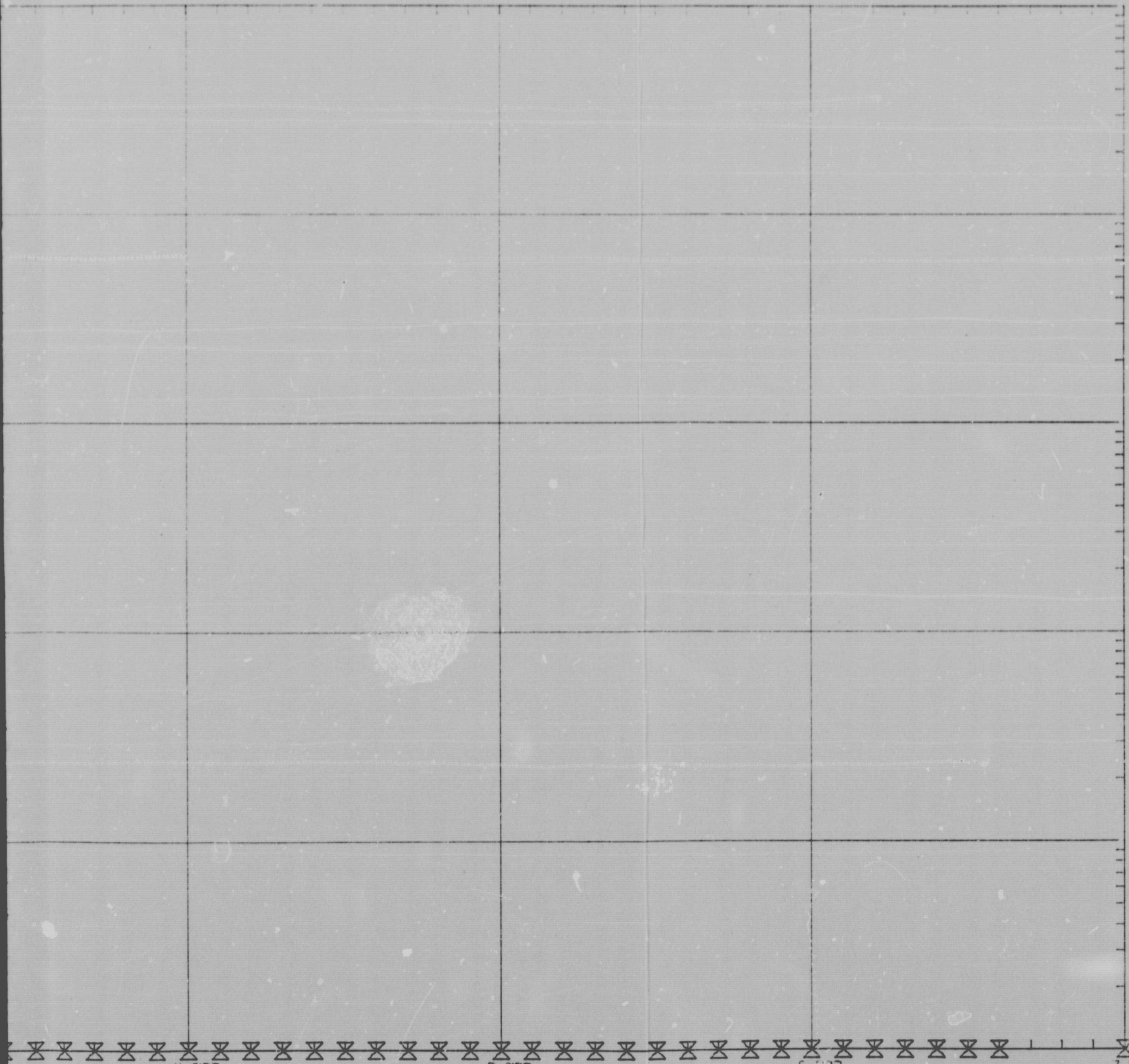
23DEGR

150KM HE-E

HIGH

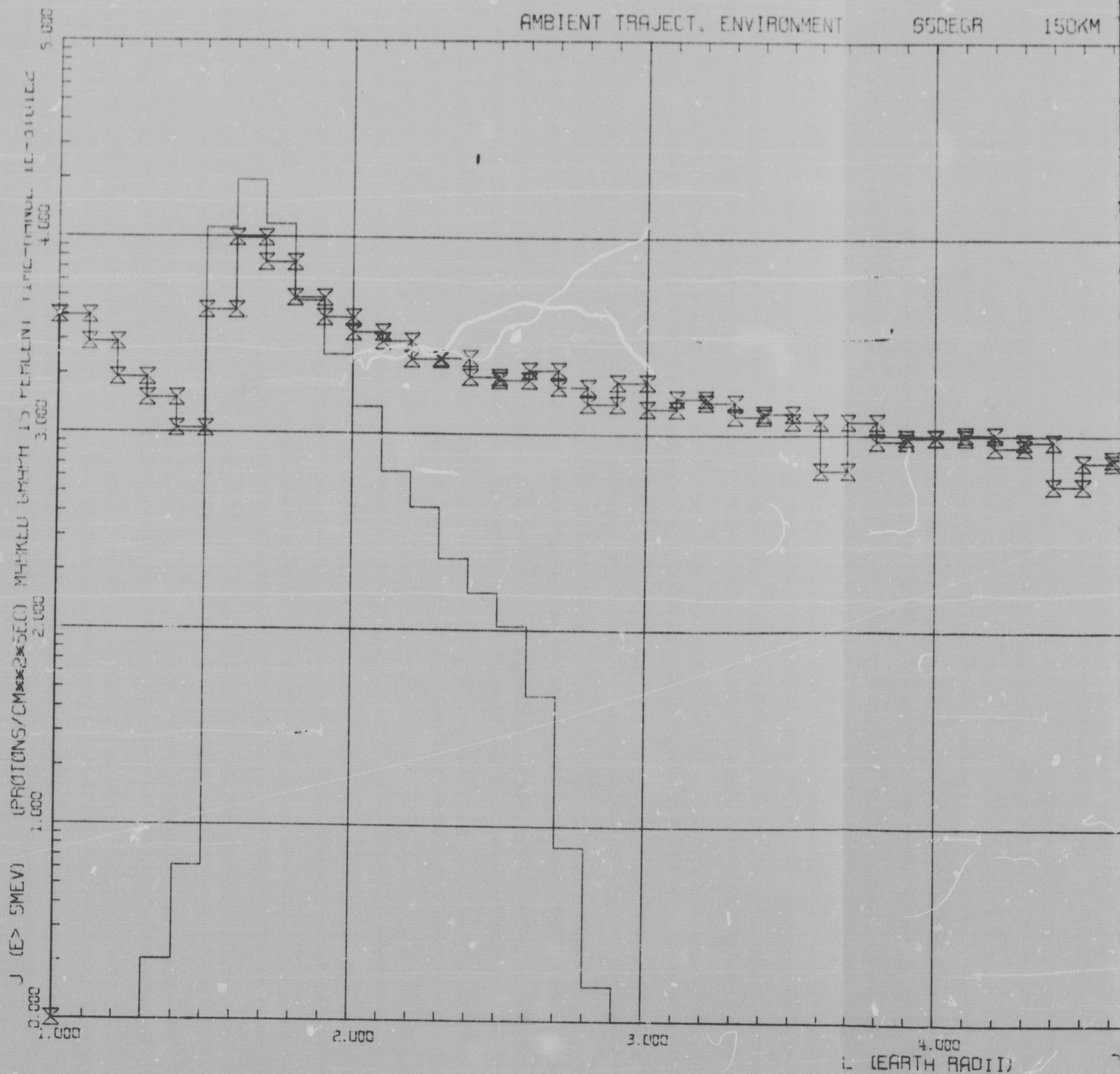
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Fig. 21



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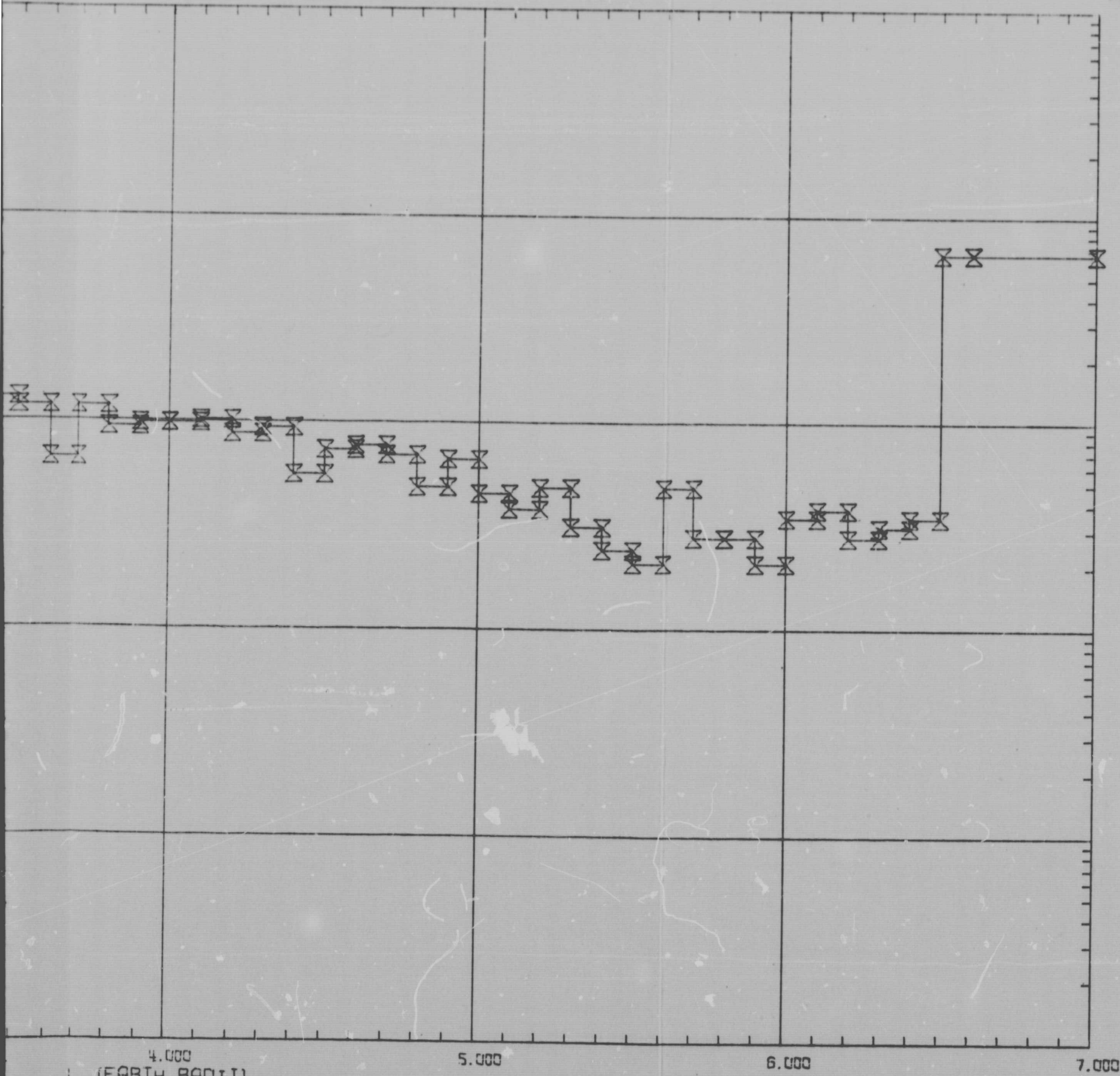
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FOLDOUT FRAME 2

ONMENT 55DEGR 150KM AE-C HIGH

Figure 22



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L (EARTH RADII)

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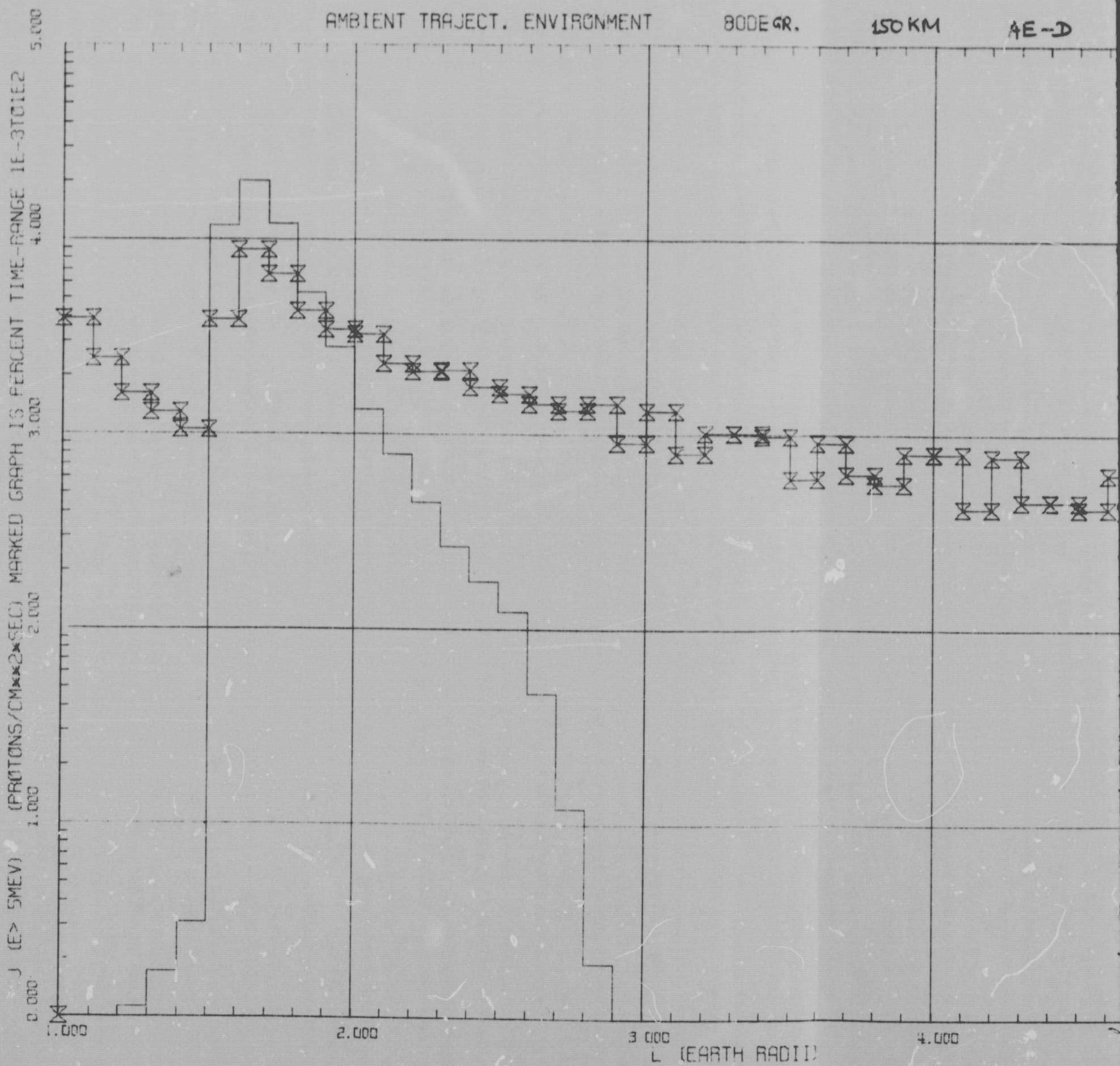
FOLDOUT FRAME 1

AMBIENT TRAJECT. ENVIRONMENT

800E GR.

150 KM

AE-D



FOLDOUT FRAME 2

EGR.

150 KM

AE-D

Figure 23

